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Dr. James Black, First President.

Alumnæ Recorder

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HARRIET D. M'CARTY.

MELISSA P. PORTER.

LYRA F. KELLY.

EMILIE M. SCHELLENBERG.

JUNE, 1900.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

I was so dumbfounded a year ago, when elected to the honorable position in which I confront you to-day, that I could not properly acknowledge the graceful confidence that you bestowed upon me. I said "honorable position" and honestly so regard it. To have been chosen out of a membership of two hundred and from an association whose Alma Mater dates her birth thirty years ago, is enough to make any girl hold her head up, and from my lofty perch, I do now thank you.

Our association is twenty-three years old to-day. Suppose we take a retrospective view beginning with when the organization was formed by that brilliant class of twenty in '77 in the days when Dr. Strong was president and Miss Pelletreau, preceptress, and when we girls were young and enthusiastic still, in the good old days.

Now what has it availed, this binding ourselves together? Maybe not what it might. We have floundered somewhat, to be sure, and at times have felt that we missed the mark of our

high calling. It seems natural for women to discount their efforts, and I am inclined to think that we have allowed this tendency to influence our estimate of what we have accomplished. At least each year has added to our numbers. Starting out with sixty-eight names, we have grown to over two hundred, and each year our meetings have grown, not only in numbers but in interest.

I want to jog your memories a bit with reminders of a few facts. In the first years we were satisfied to answer the roll-call, elect new officers, eat our luncheon, say "How do you do" to our classmates and go home to read the personals in the "Recorder," which latter represented the sum total of outcome from our combined brains. However, some fifteen years ago, during Miss Pelletreau's presidency, and at her suggestion, we undertook to form the nucleus of a library by each contributing two volumes. Now that was not a vain effort. Look at the college library; it is growing. Then along came Dilworth Hall, and we raised \$600 for a Tiffany window, which has graced the Chapel and speaks to us of the literature of the past whenever we are assembled. Then, not so many years ago, Dr. Black's portrait was unveiled, to gladden the hearts of his girls who had worked to that end, and then in our last work for the scholarship fund, I think the end is in sight. We may seem to be sleeping, because no public effort has been advertised in the society columns, but let me tell you the work is being carried on by the Committee, and our Chairman, Mrs. Taylor, is scheming even now how to extort the balance of money necessary to complete the amount longed for. Our Treasurer, Miss Bonnett, has no small duty to perform in keeping accounts straight and attending to the collection of interest on four or five mortgages, all due at different times, and at intervals, turning them over to our faithful Trustee, Miss Aiken, who keeps all invested in first mortgages at flush rates of interest. And, let me tell you also, that the echoes from what that little fund is accomplishing makes due compensation for all our efforts. I need only mention Colloquium, said to be the brainiest club in the city.

This being the anniversary of our third decade, it seems a fitting time to follow up the suggestion made last year, of dividing our Association into decades.

Out of that suggestion one club was formed, and they have held fortnightly meetings of a social character, which developed into a successful entertainment, the proceeds from which amounted to about \$400, to be devoted to scholarship work. Let us have more Decades. Also, it occurs to me that

it might add to the enthusiasm of our meetings, if each class would appoint a corresponding secretary, whose business it would be to inform herself and the Association, of the members of her class and the times of special re-unions, and to make a personal effort to induce a full attendance. I might advise a little more general interest on the part of the members, as regards the business part of our annual meetings, by gently reminding each one that it is her meeting; that she is as much responsible as any other member for the conduct of affairs. As to the banquet last year, under Miss DeVore's direction, the pinnacle of our conception was reached. Indeed, we attained to a degree of brilliancy and a college song hitherto not dreamed of.

During the summer we were shocked to hear of Miss DeVore's resignation. We feel that our inspiration is going and we are powerless to stay it. Who can measure the impetus of an up-to-date, thoroughly conscientious woman who has given so freely of herself to the development and progress of our college on every hand?

I must confess that we cannot help looking in the future with misgivings and asking what will be the attitude of her successor towards us as individuals and as an association, and towards our college.

However difficult it may be, I would not fulfill my duty to you this day did I not beseech you to maintain your spirit of loyalty to the college under whatever conditions may be imposed by the new administration. We are becoming a power and must learn to wield it well.

Mrs Arthur V. D.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

FOR YEAR ENDING APRIL 30th, 1900.

RECEIPTS.

Balance May 1st, 1899	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$49 99
Annual Fees,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	80 50
Interest on Deposit,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 06
Total,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$131 55

DISBURSEMENTS.

Printing Recorder,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$42 00
Editors Expenses,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6 86
Scholarship Fund,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23 73
Alumnae Tea,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37 20
Stamps and Postal Cards,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8 00
										\$117 79
Balance in Bank,-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13 76
Total,-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$131 55

MARGARET EASTON,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY.

Minutes of the Annual Meeting of the Alumnae Association of the Pennsylvania College for Women, held June, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Miss Ruth Henrici.

The roll call showed fifty-eight active and two honorary members present.

Next in order was the reading of the minutes of the meeting held June tenth, ninety-eight, which were approved. Mrs. Spencer moved, and it was seconded, that the class of eighteen hundred and ninety-nine be admitted to membership, including Jennie DeVore, Lyra Foote Kelly, Florence Wailer Parry, and Emilie Madeleine Schellenberg. The motion was carried, and the President welcomed them into the Alumnae.

Next in order was the President's address, which was listened to with deep interest and appreciation.

The report from committees as follows: Treasurer reported receipts \$116.72, disbursements \$66.73, balance in bank \$49.99. This report was approved.

Scholarship Committee reported \$349.02 in bank, which with the four mortgages of \$1,300, \$1,200, \$1,600 and \$900 makes a total of \$5,349.02. This report was approved, and a vote of thanks was tendered to the Scholarship Committee for their faithful work.

The committee appointed to look over the Constitution and suggest any changes that they thought necessary to make, reported that they would advise the Alumnae to make no changes in the Constitution.

Next in order was "new business."

Mrs. Talmadge moved that as the Constitution required a corresponding secretary that the Alumnae should elect one—this was seconded but lost.

Mrs. Warmcastle moved, and it was seconded, to strike out the words "A corresponding secretary" from the Constitution in Article IV., Section I., and to have that section read, "The officers of the Association shall be, President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. They shall be elected by a majority and shall hold office for one year, or until their successors are elected." This was carried.

Mrs. Miller moved that Mrs. Charles Lockhart, Miss Emma M. Jewett, Miss Ellen Goodrich Means, A. B., and Miss Anna M.

Hamilton, A. B., be elected honorary members of the Alumnae; this was seconded and carried, and the Secretary was instructed to inform them of their election.

Miss DeVore was asked to speak to the Alumnae, which she did, and spoke in a very enthusiastic way of the College and the Alumnae, and the relation one to the other.

Miss Barbour moved, and it was seconded, that the Alumnae extend a vote of thanks to Mr. Thomas Armstrong for the interest and generosity that he has shown toward the College; this was seconded and unanimously carried.

Next in order was the election of officers. The nomination committee reported the following nominations, which were unanimously elected:

President—Mrs. Arthur V. Davis.

Vice President—Miss Elizabeth L. Barnes.

Secretary—Miss Marguerite W. Bonnett.

Treasurer—Miss Margaret Easton.

Editors for "Recorder"—Miss Harriet D. McCarty, Miss Lyra Foote Kelly and Miss Jennie Wallace.

Miss Barbour moved, and it was seconded, to extend a vote of thanks to the Secretary for her services in the past years. Carried.

It was moved and seconded to adjourn until June, 1900. Carried.

RACHEL CASTLEMAN AIKEN,

Secretary.

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE ALUMNÆ ASSOCIATION.

A special meeting of the Alumnae Association of the Pennsylvania College for Women was held at the Hotel Schenley, January 27, 1900.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Mrs. A. V. Davis. Twenty-four members were present.

Mrs. Davis stated that the object of the meeting was to take some action relative to Miss DeVore's resignation. It was moved by Miss Hillman and seconded that the Alumnae in token of their recognition of the work Miss DeVore has done for the College, both in beautifying and improving the College itself, of the many advantages she has made possible for the

students to enjoy, and lastly of the cordial hospitality she has extended to the Alumnae in the many social reunions and meetings at the College, ask that the Trustees reconsider the acceptance of Miss DeVore's resignation. This was carried unanimously.

Mrs. Davis appointed Mrs. Charles Spencer, Miss Alice Stockton and Miss Elizabeth Hillman a committee to place the matter before the Board.

It was moved by Mrs. Kerr and seconded that an informal tea be given by the Alumnae in honor of Miss DeVore, and that the entire Alumnae be invited. Carried.

Mrs. Taylor offered her home for the reception, which offer was gratefully accepted. The President appointed Mrs. Taylor chairman of the committee on reception with power to select her own committee.

Moved by Miss Murdoch and seconded that the Secretary be instructed to communicate with the Board of Trustees and request that the Alumnae be represented on the Board, as is the custom of other colleges. Carried.

Moved by Mrs. Spencer and seconded that the matter of colors be carried over until June. Carried.

Moved to adjourn by Miss Bryant, seconded and carried.

MARGUERITE W. BONNETT,
Secretary.

HELEN E. PELLETREAU SCHOLARSHIP:

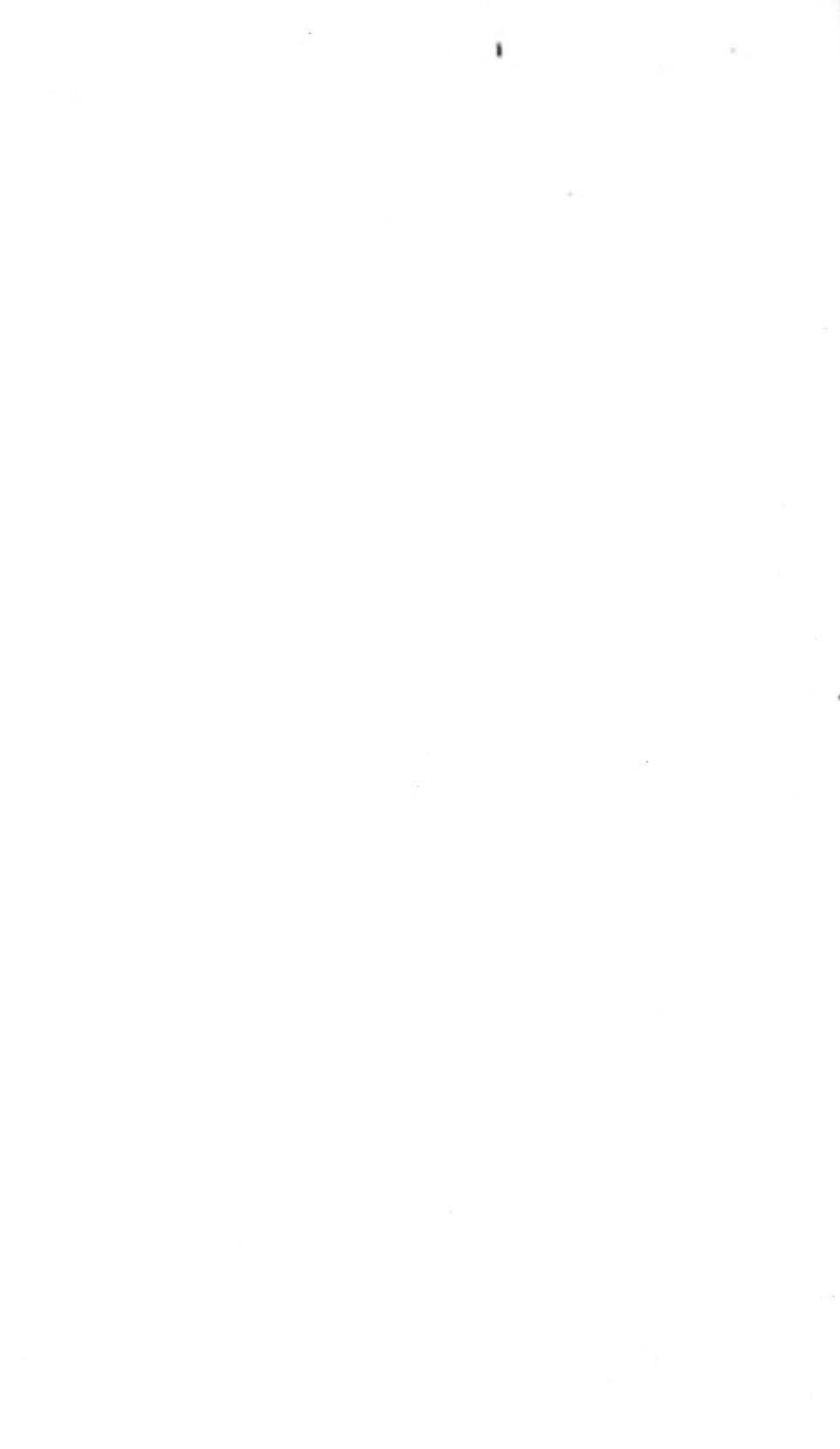
The attention of the Alumnae former students and friends of the College is earnestly solicited to a brief consideration of the present status of our Scholarship Fund.

Originally it was thought that \$6,000 would be sufficient for the purpose intended, and of this amount \$5,300 has already been raised, the interest of which is being used now to good advantage by the College authorities. The lower rates of interest now prevailing makes it imperative to raise not less than \$7,000, and to this end your co-operation and support is urgently requested.

It is the intention of the Committee having this matter in charge to shortly mail to all interested a circular letter, setting forth the details of this commendable object and appeal-



**Dr. Strong,
Second President.**



AMOUNT INVESTED IN MORTGAGES.

Mortgage No. 1, interest 6 per cent,	-	-	-	-	\$1300	00
Mortgage No. 2, interest 6 per cent,	-	-	-	-	1200	00
Mortgage No. 3, interest 6 per cent,	-	-	-	-	1600	00
Mortgage No. 4, interest 6 per cent,	-	-	-	-	300	00
Total,	-	-	-	-	\$5000	00

This, with the cash balance, makes a total of \$5,486.18, or \$513.82 less than the \$6,000, which latter sum was thought originally to be sufficient to yield the proper income, but which is now, owing to the decreased rate, too small to give us annually the desired amount.

MARGUERITE W. BONNETT,
Treasurer.

THE MARY HAWES NEVIN SCHOLARSHIP.

During the days Mary Hawes Nevin spent in college, she was keenly alive to all appeals for help, especially those that were connected with young women seeking an education, and expressed her purpose of founding a scholarship. Her mother, brothers and sister united in the plan to carry out her wishes, and in February, \$6,000 was paid into the college treasury to establish the Mary Hawes Nevin Scholarship, which shall support one boarding pupil.

Mrs. Nevin's desire that class '96 should act as an advisory committee in the selection of the recipient of the scholarship will be regarded. This scholarship will be a living memory of a beautiful, earnest life, whose loving purpose will incite consecrated use of the gift.

R. J. D.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS OF THE ALUMNÆ ASSOCIATION.

ARTICLE I.

Sec. 1. This Association shall be known and designated as "The Alumnae Association of the Pennsylvania College for Women."

Sec. 2. The object of the Association is to further the interests of the College of Pennsylvania and of education in general, and to promote the mutual intercourse and fellowship of the members.

ARTICLE II.

Sec. 1. The Association shall consist of Active, Honorary and Associate members.

Sec. 2. The Active members shall include every graduate of said College.

Sec. 3. The Honorary members shall include the members of the Faculty of at least three years' standing, and the Board of Trustees of the said College, ex-officio, and persons who may be elected Honorary members by a two-thirds vote of the members present at the Annual Business Meeting.

Sec. 4. The Honorary members shall have all privileges except that of holding office and voting.

Sec. 5. The Associate members shall have all the privileges of the Association except that of attendance upon Business Meetings of the Alumnae Association.

ARTICLE III.

Sec. 1. It shall be the prime duty of each Active member to keep the Secretary informed of her address and of all facts regarding herself and other members proper to be included in the permanent records of the Association.

ARTICLE IV.

Sec. 1. The officers of the Association shall be a President, a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer. They shall be elected by a majority and shall hold office for one year, or until their successors are elected.

Sec. 2. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Association and shall perform all the other duties devolving on such an officer.

Sec. 3. The Vice President shall at all times aid the President in the discharge of her duties and in the absence or dis-

ability of the President, shall perform all her duties herein prescribed.

Sec. 4. The Secretary shall keep the minutes of the Association, shall notify officers and committees of their election or appointment, and shall perform the general duties appertaining to the office of Secretary. It shall be her duty to ascertain each year the names, addresses and careers of New, Active and Honorary members, and to enter them on the roll and minutes of the next meeting after the graduation of the said new members; she shall also, after due consideration and consultation with the President of the College, issue all the notices for annual and special meetings.

Sec. 5. The Treasurer shall collect, and under direction of the Association disburse, all funds. She shall report at the annual meeting and oftener if required.

Sec. 6. Two editors shall be annually elected by a two-thirds (2-3) vote of the Association with a sub-committee of two business editors. This committee shall annually edit and publish "The Alumnae Recorder" of the Association, in which shall be answered any questions asked in regard to other members that is possible to answer, with such further facts regarding the individual members and other general matters of interest to the Association and appropriate to its objects, as may be deemed practicable and proper.

ARTICLE V.

Sec. 1. The Annual Business Meeting of the Association shall take place at the College on the Friday preceeding the commencement day exercises, or at such other time near said date as the Faculty of the College shall appoint. Notice thereof shall be mailed to all members whose addresses are known at least seven days in advance.

Sec. 2. Special Business Meetings may be called by the President at any time, and on the written request of five members such meetings must be called, provided that no business shall be transacted at any special meeting unless substantially specified in the notices mailed to all members whose addresses are known, at least seven days in advance.

Sec. 3. Ten members shall constitute a quorum of the Association at any meeting, but any less number shall have power to adjourn any regularly called meeting to a subsequent date with or without further notice to the members at large, and at such adjourned meeting any business may be transacted that might have been transacted at the original meeting called, and upon due notice as aforesaid.

Sec. 4. The President may at her own discretion call and arrange for such reunions, banquets or other social meetings of the Association as may be deemed expedient at any time, providing for the expenses of the same out of the funds in the treasury, or by general assessment, or by special charge to persons attending the same.

ARTICLE VI.

Sec. 1. There shall be no initiation fee.

Sec. 2. There shall be an annual due of one dollar paid by each Active member.

Sec. 3. Assessments may be levied by a two-thirds (2-3) vote of the members present at any business meeting of the Association.

Sec. 4. Honorary members shall not be liable to any dues, fees or assessments whatsoever.

BY-LAWS.

Art. 1. The orders of business at the annual meeting of the Association shall be as follows:

1. Roll Call.
2. Reading of Minutes.
3. Receiving new Members.
4. President's Address.
5. Report of Committees.
6. Unfinished Business.
7. New Business.
8. Elections.
9. Adjournment.

June 1, 1893, submitted by committee,

MRS. W. S. MILLER.

MRS. S. D. WARMCASTLE.

June 2, 1983, approved by Alumnae.

IN MEMORIAM.

The Class of '97 mourns the loss of its honorary member, Mrs. Charles Lockhart.

The mother of two of the alumnae and wife of a member of the Board of Trustees, she has been for many years connected with the College.

Through her generous acts of kindness many students were assisted to a college education, and it was she, too, who made possible the remodelling of the building. One stipulation always characterized Mrs. Lockhart's liberality—that her name should not be used. On account of this the world never knew half the kindness she did, and even the recipients themselves were ignorant of their benefactor.

The Class of '97 will ever hold in loving remembrance the name of Mrs. Lockhart, recalling with lasting pleasure her kindly interest in them.

MARRIAGES.

GRADUATES.

Miss Elizabeth Raney, to Mr. Howard Kirk, June, 1899.
Miss Susan Ewing to Mr. Hay, September, 1899.

UNDERGRADUATES.

Miss Clara Louise Negley to Mr. George Hamilton Flinn, April, 1900.

Miss Helen Wightman to Mr. Thomas Mellon, October, 1900.

Miss Nan Chambers to Mr. William L. Elkins, April, 1900.

Miss Ella Glass to Mr. Port Elkins, September, 1899.

Miss Eleanor Kester to Mr. Hugh Jarrett Guthrie, May, 1900.

Miss Pauline Pratt to Mr. James I. M. Wilson, December, 1899.

Miss Anna Smith to Mr. Ansby Purnell, March, 1900.

Miss Mabel Morton to Mr. Reuben Head, September, 1899.

Miss Isabel Scull, of Irwin, Pa., to Mr. Goldwin Starrett, June, 1900.

Miss Harriet Parcell Henderson, of Pittsburgh, to Dr. William Farrar, June, 1900.

Miss Millicent Hill, of East Liverpool, Ohio, to Mr. George Davidson, May, 1900.

Miss Elizabeth McBride, of Pittsburgh, to Mr. Charles Gibbs Carter, of Titusville, January, 1900.

Miss Frank Scull, of Irwin, to Mr. John M. Stauffer, February, 1900.

Miss Mary Stevenson, of New Castle, Pa., to Mr. Curtis Willock, May, 1900.

BIRTHS.

Mary Matthews Clark, a daughter.

Elizabeth Raney Kirk, a daughter.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Dear Alumnae:

The year '99 and '00 has shown the largest attendance the college has recorded; 247 have been enrolled, 65 of these as resident students. The scholarship has steadily advanced, until the passing years have pride in the growth of higher standards.

The necessity for more room required the completion after school opened of six rooms on the fourth floor. These rooms are the finest in the buildings, and are unsurpassed by any college for interior beauty and exterior view. There remains unfinished in the fourth floor eleven rooms, which, when completed and the elevator, for which the shaft is prepared, is in use, will be almost ideal college bed-rooms.

The improvements of the summer were fewer than usual. Several class rooms were formed from bed-rooms, and these were fitted out with new writing desks, etc. New book cases were placed in the library to supply the need of shelves for the large addition of books.

I have no deeper pride in any one part of the college than in the library's growth. President Stanley Hall, in his visit, commented upon the selection as excellent for college work. I especially commend this as an object of interest to a Decade club beginning with Class 1900, while I congratulate the Decade club 1890-1899 upon their pleasant meetings and their efficiency in executing splendid plans.

The improved condition of the grounds about the barn is the result of Mr. Laughlin's generosity. Mr. S. S. Marvin's gift of one hundred dollars to the Class 1900, of which he is an honorary member, supplied the new furnishings to the Senior Parlor.

During my presidency I have been working in the active periphrastic mood, my plans have been only the beginnings of the things "about to be," hindered in completion for want of money. In leaving the college I take away only my presence; the deep interest, the fervent prayer and the hope of abundant success remain. A broader field spreads out before the Pennsylvania College for Women into which it will enter, for I believe the Alumnae and the Board of Trustees will unite to help Dr. Martin in his efforts to make this college approved for excellence. I know there will be given my successor the same thoughtful interest and loyal support that have endeared you to me and have added pleasure to my days of service.

Affectionately,

R. J. DE VORE.

Montreat, Buncombe Co., N. C., April 1, 1900.

Dear Editors:

Your postal relative to the "Recorder" finds me some hundreds of miles from home, whence I have been banished by my good physician, to escape the dampness of the spring months. I feel like a wanderer on the face of the earth, this being my second banishment because of lung trouble. This climate is believed to be the best this side of the Rockies. It is an excellent place for lung troubles, asthma, bronchial affections, etc. I do not believe that anyone ever has grippe here. It is also good for nervous troubles.

The settlement of Montreat is owned by the Mountain Retreat Association—a company of ministers and Christian business men—who aim to make this place the Chataqua of the South. It is beautifully situated in the midst of the Blue Ridge and Black mountains, its altitude being about 2,500 feet. It is about one and one-half miles from Black Mountain station, which is about fifteen miles east of Asheville, North Carolina.

The great thing to do here is to climb to the mountain tops, on foot or on horse-back. The view from these heights is magnificent. Then the walks here are most interesting—every new walk revealing some new beauty.

Streams abound—the most delicious springs of soft water are everywhere.

The people here are from many states—mostly Northern. But in the summer—during the weeks of the convention—many Southerners are here. I have written this much of detail in the hope, faint but pleasant, that perchance some old school-mate may, in casting about for some pleasant spot, where health may be recovered, think this place worth the trial. If such should ever be the case, may I be here to see.

E. R. A.

I do not know that you desire or need any such feeble attempt as the above, but you will know what to do with it if it is not wanted. I am interested in this place, and I thought in this way to reach some old college friends who might be glad to know of such a place no farther from home. Then, too, I know how hard it is to always edit the "Recorder," although my experience is but heresay. Wishing you success, I am

Yours sincerely,

ESTHER REYNOLDS ALGER.

Class of '80.



**Miss Helen E. Pelletreau,
Third President.**



4 First Place, Brooklyn.

Editors "Recorder":

I wish you great success this year in your arduous undertaking, but have little or nothing to offer in the way of interesting items, except one, viz., the birth of a little daughter, Miriam Biddle Clark, on November 28, 1899. We hope she will be a Pennsylvania College Alumna. While we have been much favored in having calls and visits from several of the former teachers and pupils of the dear College, it will also be a great pleasure to see any who may visit the Exposition this summer, if they stop in New York, on their way abroad. With kind regards and greetings to all, and sincere regret that I cannot get to Pittsburgh in time for the meeting this year, I remain,

Sincerely Yours,

MARY MATHEWS CLARK.

April fifth, Nineteen Hundred.

My Dear Editor:

It has been a long established custom in many schools and colleges for the outgoing classes at commencement time to plant an ivy or any other vine or tree somewhere about the college grounds as a memento of the class. The vine is supposed to grow and flourish somewhat as a symbol of the growth and development of the alumnus. This is a pretty idea, of which I heartily approve, more especially if the campus is bare and profits by the addition. What I want to say to the "Recorder" this year is not about the class ivy nor anything about the Pennsylvania College grounds, so I don't clearly see why I should have begun in that strain. But it is this—and I think I owe it to the College to make a report.

During the last month or two that I spent at the college, before the commencement of '94, one of my class-mates and myself spent some very pleasant hours out under the trees on the hillside in front of the college buildings. The spring had been a late one—as every spring I have ever known has been—and the fine old maple trees were even more beautifully fresh and green than usual. Trees of any kind were a luxury to me, so I, perhaps, enjoyed and appreciated the college maples more than most of those whose privilege it has been to sit under them and prepare for examinations. It occurred to me that I should like some trees of my own of that kind, so one day as we were going home, two of us pulled up a number of the small shoots that covered the ground, took them home, planted them, and with a good deal of care caused them to live and

grow. The first summer we each had about four that lived; the second summer we each had one.

On account of the small size of the thing I couldn't plant it out where a tree ought to grow, for fear of the lawn mower. So it has been moved four times. This has hindered a very rapid growth, but on this, the twenty-ninth day of April, 1900, my tree is nearly six years old, stands five feet, seven inches high, and is strong and healthy.

I am not sure whether any other of the Alumnae possess a tree from the college grounds; if any of them have, they will know how much I prize my little maple tree, and how often it reminds me of the old campus. So I take this way of giving my most sincere thanks to the college, and reporting the progress of my "College Maple."

EVA MOREHEAD BARD, '94.

COLLEGE SONG.

Tune—Auld Lang Syne.

Our Alma Mater sits enthroned
 Above the hurrying town;
 The changeful years have never dimmed
 The glory of her crown.
 She keeps the white without a stain,
 The purple queenly still,
 While countless hearts look up to her—
 The College on the Hill.

A constant throng with backward gaze
 Pass out the well-known door;
 The world lets some return again,
 But many nevermore.
 Yet though the path winds far from her,
 Their feet can never stray;
 Their Alma Mater guides them still,
 A thousand miles away.

Each year new voices swell her praise,
 Some well-loved face is gone;
 Death calls us to him one by one,
 But still the song goes on.
 As long as Pennsylvania keeps
 Her watch-fire burning bright,
 Shall Pennsylvania's daughters sing
 The purple and the white.

DR. CHALMERS MARTIN.

Dr. Chalmers Martin was born in Ashland, Ky., in 1859, of Scotch-Irish ancestors. His great-grand-father on his mother's side, his grandfather on the same side, and his father were all elders in the Presbyterian church. He received his preparations for college, first at the Columbia Classical Institute, Columbia, Pa., and afterward under the late Dr. John F. Pingry at Elizabeth, N. J. After completing his preparations, Dr. Martin served for a year as teacher in Dr. Pingry's school, and then entered Princeton in the class of 1879. Among his class-mates were Dr. Woodrow Wilson and William F. Magee, of the present faculty of Princeton University, Dr. John D. Davis, of Princeton Theological Seminary, Dr. Thomas C. Hall, of Union Theological Seminary, Dr. Sidney Sherwood, of Johns Hopkins University, Prof. Arthur Milford, of Wabash College, and Dr. Fletcher Durell, formerly of Dickinson College, now of Lawrenceville school.

In the fall of 1879 Dr. Martin entered Princeton Theological Seminary, from which he graduated in 1882. The following year was also spent in Princeton as Hebrew Fellow in the Seminary. During the latter part of this year he acted as instructor in Hebrew. During the vacations of the Seminary course he was engaged in tutoring, in work under the Board of Home Missions in South Dakota, and in supplying the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church of Trenton, N. J.

Dr. Martin was married in September, 1883, to Miss Lilian Allen, of New York City, and a few days after the wedding, sailed for Siam, to become a member of the Laos Mission. Reaching Bangkok December 8th, 1883, and arriving at Chieng Mai, his station, March 23rd, having been seventy-two days making the journey in a river boat. After a year spent in learning the language, Dr. Martin was engaged for two years in missionary work, preaching, teaching and itinerating. In September, 1886, he was compelled by ill health to return to the United States. After something over a year spent in regaining his health, he went to Moorestown, N. J., where he was instrumental in organizing a Presbyterian church, of which he became pastor. After spending three years in this field, Dr. Martin accepted a call to the Presbyterian church of Port Henry, N. Y. After a pastorate of fifteen months he resigned, to accept the position which he has held for eight years—that of Instructor in Hebrew in Princeton University and Elliott F. Shepard Instructor in the Old Testament Department

in Princeton Theological Seminary. During the incumbency of these positions he had preached frequently, both as occasional and stated supply, having acted as pastor of the Second Presbyterian church of Princeton for eight months, and, at another time, as stated supply of the Presbyterian church of Burlington, N. J., for a year. In 1894 Dr. Martin was appointed by the faculty of the seminary, on nomination by the students, Students' Lecturer on Missions for the following year. The lectures delivered in response to this invitation were afterward published under the title, "Apostolic and Modern Missions." Two years ago he was again appointed incumbent of this lectureship. This second course, on the theme, "The Historical Development of the Missionary Idea," will be delivered next autumn.

THE '94 RE-UNION.

In the last "Recorder" it was announced that the Class of '94 would hold a reunion in the form of a luncheon. It was. The affair took place at the Schenley hotel on the Saturday after the Alumnae day, in one of the private dining-rooms. Twelve out of the thirteen of the class were present, with Miss Pelletreau, Miss Pike and Miss Clark as guests, and it will probably be remembered with as much pleasure as any class function, of which there have been many.

Miss Lydia Murdoch, who is the present president of the class, and Miss Eva Bard, made the necessary arrangements. The room, which is furnished in green, was suitable for a class whose colors were white and green, and looked charming. A large white and green centerpiece of flowers was the chief color note, and the large round table was laid for fifteen. After the substantial part, each of those who had taken part in the class day exercises on the Saturday afternoon five years before, re-read and reviewed her part.

Miss Sarah Bryant read both parts of the dialogue poem with a bright addition. Miss Annie Kearns re-read the prophecy with comments on the results. Miss Anderson continued the "growl," and Miss Eva Bard reviewed the gifts she had given to each one as to its appropriateness. Miss Eleanor Baldwin repeated the class song with an addition, then Miss Pelletreau made a short address. From the fact that Miss Pelletreau left the college with the class of '94, we feel a sort of fellowship with her. It is not too much to say that each one who was present had a most delightful time, and will not soon forget a most successful reunion.

A SKETCH.

"Of making many books there is no end." If Solomon thought that several thousand years ago, what would he say if he were alive to-day? And also, being rather a wise man, did he read everything that was written then, and how much would he read of what is published to-day? If he could enter one of the libraries, and glance over some of the last new books, would he not sigh, and murmur again, "Vanity of vanities, all is vanity?"

In a library one has a pretty good opportunity to observe human nature, and also to gauge the popular taste in literature. A craze for a certain book seems to break out like an epidemic, and die as quickly. It is not far from the truth to say, "Tell me what a man reads, and I will tell you what he is." And there are many surprises as to the books the different ones select. For one thing, it is the educated and professional people who read the most fiction, and the working men, with the toil-grimed hands, who choose the more serious books. The colored people are specially fond of religious books, and the Bible was asked for so repeatedly that a copy had to be added to the shelves.

Of course, one meets all sorts of characters, from the poor colored woman who wanted a book to tell her how to act when she made calls and went in society, to the young lady, who was surprised that such a late book as "Becky Sharp" should be in the library.

Some people cannot understand that a free library does not mean an entirely unrestricted one. When one man, on stating his desire to take out books, was asked whether he had registered yet, he became indignant, declaring he had been registered in that ward for thirty years; while another on being asked if he had his card, politely handed out a visiting card.

As to the names of books, they are spelt and pronounced in fearful and wonderful ways, and it takes a little practice to know at once that "Jane Macbeth" and "Men of the Mossy-backs" mean respectively "Janice Meredith" and "Men of the Moss-hags;" but what drives one to distraction is the small girl who insists upon having the book she "was reading yesterday, a red one, that told about a king and queen."

There is one more type that seems to be the special product of the free library, and that is the "Library fiend." He arrives soon after the doors are opened in the morning, sits down in his favorite seat, and reads books, magazines and newspapers indiscriminately until noon, when he vanishes, only to re-

appear an hour or so later to spend the afternoon in the same aimless way. This continues day after day, and is what proves the public library a not unmixed blessing.

With all these, and many more odd characters appearing every day, is it any wonder one gets to feel like the old Quaker lady, that "Everyone's queer but thee and me, and even thee's a little queer?" "B."

WINTER IN SUMMERLAND.

One glorious Saturday last January we found ourselves amid the fragrance of orange groves, under the clear blue sky and golden sunshine of a flower garnished land.

Such are the comforts of modern travel that the Continent had been crossed quickly and with comparatively little fatigue, as the California Limited sped onward over the prairies of Missouri and Kansas, past the Indian villages of New Mexico, where crowds of friendly Pueblos, some wrapped in gay colored blankets and their feet encased in muslin wrappings, resembling mummy windings, were gathered at the station to catch the pennies which the ubiquitous camera fiend tossed as an inducement for a pose, or selling articles of pottery ornamented with crude decorations valuable not for beauty, but as a suggestion of the Indian's chimerical taste. Over fields of sage brush, yucca and cacti, past the entrance to Death Valley, so named because many of its springs are tainted with arsenic, but in which are found mines of turquoise, specimens from which experts have pronounced the finest in the world; until the brilliant poppy fields came into view, the first flower of Southern California to welcome the traveler.

"Here the poppy hosts assemble:

How they startle, how they tremble!

All their royal hoods unpinned,

Blow out lightly in the wind.

Here is gold to labor for;

Here is pillage without war.

Men that in the cities grind,

Come! before the heart is blind."

Pasadena, famous for beauty of landscape and general attractiveness, is located between the mountains and ocean. Nature has given exceptional advantages of climate and soil,

while wealth and artistic taste have added homes in harmony.

Sunshine predominates, a cloudy day being exceptional. The climate, though mild, cannot be called equable, as the temperature at mid-day varies considerably from that at night. In the sunshine one is in summer; in the shade, perhaps just across the street, or at nightfall, one is in the chill of autumn.

Mentioning climate recalls an incident of a consumptive who had been advised so often concerning climate that he began to feel resentful towards anyone who referred to the subject. His driver venturing a conversation on the same threadbare theme, he at once vetoed climate as a subject of discourse, whereupon the crestfallen driver sank into a silence so ominous that the invalid attempted to draw him into conversation again. Seeing some persons at the summit of a precipitous mountain, the accessible side of which was not evident to him, he inquired how they ever reached that eminence. To his dismay the only reply he received was "climb it."

Tourists have not done justice to Pasadena's attractions, unless the ascent of Mt. Lowe has been made, but, fortunately they can "climb it" by means of an electric railway. The cars start from Altadena, a pretty suburb of Pasadena, and cross the poppy fields.

"On and up, where Nature's heart
Beats strong amid the hills,"

to Rubio Canon, at the foot of the cable incline, which is nearly 3,000 feet long, and make a direct ascent of 1,300 feet to Echo Mt. Here is the Lowe Observatory, and the ruins of the Echo Mt. House. From this point the electric railway proceeds for four miles, circling round the mountain on a 12-foot level cut out of the solid granite, with mountains above, and yawning canons below, through forests of pine, live oak, fir and manzanita, around the circular bridge where one seems to be whirling in mid air, until Ye Alpine tavern is reached, the quaint mountain hotel where dinner is served. The views along this line are most fascinating and awe-inspiring, and are often compared to scenes in the Swiss Alps.

Among the many attractions of Pasadena are a large ostrich farm, and the largest rose bush in California, a Gold of Ophir, 25 feet high and 30 feet across, a growth of sixteen years.

Beautiful Redlands, nestling amid a wealth of beauty in flowers and foliage, the mountain peaks towering beyond, and snow-capped Old Baldie and San Bernardino, looking down like sentinels in the distance, has, for its crowning attraction, Smiley Heights, or Canon Crest Park. The Messrs. Smiley have

taken advantage of an elevation overlooking the town, and have spared no effort in embellishing it with the flora which has made California famous.

Every turn of the driveway reveals new beauties of scenery, flowers and shrubbery laid out with exquisite taste, and here and there mirrored in a beautiful lake, carefully tended orange groves and charming views of mountain and canon. The largest rose we saw was one of the Paul Neyron variety at Redlands, which measured 21 inches in circumference.

Geraniums, heliotrope, fuchsias, calla lilies and other of our common home plants grow to amazing proportions, since they have an all the year climate.

Fine varieties of olive, almond and English walnut are grown in Southern California, also quantities of the orange and grape fruit, and some lemons and tangerines. Immense vineyards are found all through the state.

A drive along Magnolia avenue, Riverside, seems like witnessing a panorama of semi-tropical verdure. On one side the slender eucalyptus trees rise to a height of 60 to 100 feet, tipped with their pretty white blossoms, the scarlet eucalyptus being very rare. Beautiful pepper trees, 40 to 60 feet in height, line the middle of the boulevard, their graceful, bending branches laden with rich clusters of red berries, fern-like leaves, and delicate little white blossoms. On the other side stand palmettos, 20 to 50 feet high, interspersed with immense century plants, acacias and grevelias. That very few magnolia trees are to be seen seems a parody on the name of the boulevard.

Los Angeles, the metropolis of Southern California, has grown very rapidly in recent years, especially since the development of the extensive oil territory discovered within the city limits. Its numerous parks are picturesque, its streets well laid out, with many beautiful residences and fine business blocks. General Otis has a pretty home on Wilshire Boulevard, and from its elevation a view of the ocean in the distance can be enjoyed. Many enormous specimens of ficus elastica, or India rubber tree, and Phoenix canariensis or date palm are to be seen in the City of the Angels. Santa Monica afforded us our first near view of the ocean, but here as at all the many resorts of the Pacific which we visited, we were impressed with the absence of that extreme saltiness to the air, and consequent delightful exhilaration so evident in approaching our Atlantic coast. Several reasons have been advanced for this very evident fact; one, that the proportion of salt in the Pacific is less than in the Atlantic; another, that the mountains form a



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barrier, and consequently, the desert winds drive back the salty air towards the ocean.

Out in the Pacific, about two and a half hours from San Pedro harbor, in Santa Catalina, one of the mountain islands. The little town of Avalon, where the hotel stands with fine golf links in the rear, lies close to the water's edge. The beautiful marine gardens are the admiration of all visitors, as the glass-bottomed boats gliding over them reveal beauties of vegetation undreamed of by one not familiar with the wonders of sea growth. Immense gold fish, blue perch and beautifully tinted jelly-fish swim through this great aquarium as though on dress parade.

Our anticipation of wonderful feats in the piscatorial art were doomed to disappointment. Whether "there are as good fish in the sea as have ever been caught," I cannot say. I only know I caught but one fish in the great Pacific, and that a poor yellow tail. My visions of catching a leaping tuna were speedily dispelled. A curious feature of Southern California is the Arroyo, or dry river bed, a phenomenon which excited our interest on many occasions. The rivers are there, but flowing under ground, a fact which can readily be proved by digging a few feet. The average precipitation during recent years has decreased alarmingly, so that the sediment from the mountain sides filling up the river basin, with its gravelly bed permitting free percolation, has caused the water to disappear under the surface. This explanation was the one advanced by a pleasant fellow-traveler on the train from San Diego to La Jolla, whom we discovered to be Mrs. Rose Hartwick Thorpe, a resident of Pacific Grove for the past decade, and the author of the familiar poem, "Curfew Must Not Ring Tonight." Hotel del Coronado is delightfully located, with a very fine beach, but the neglected appearance of the surroundings is disappointing.

The old town of San Diego has many adobe houses, some in good state of preservation, others in ruins. Among the latter, one of special interest is Father Gaspara's house, where the register of Ramona and Allesandro was signed after their marriage at the little chapel near by.

All through Southern California, one hears much of Helen Hunt Jackson, who, by her pen, espoused the cause of the Indian in a manner similar to that in which Mrs. Stowe befriended the colored race. The early missions of California are landmarks. The oldest, still standing at San Diego, was founded July 16, 1769, and the olive trees planted more than a century ago by the early Spanish fathers, are still fruitful and yield

large quantities of oil. These missions are scattered all over California, some being in ruins as San Juan Capistrano, others in a good state of preservation, as San Gabriel and Santa Barbara.

Traces of early Spanish occupation are found in the Spanish names of places which prevail everywhere.

There are fine lemon groves at San Diego, fruit on which continues to ripen all the year. Its climate nearly approaches the uniform. At La Jolla, about an hour's ride from San Diego, an interesting sight may be observed in the wonderful caves which the action of the ocean during the ages has washed out of the rocky cliffs.

Santa Barbara's drives are very delightful. A seventy-mile coaching trip from here northward proved most enjoyable, the varied scenery being at one time suggestive of simple beauty and restfulness; again, partaking of grandeur and sublimity. "O Lord, how manifold are thy works! in wisdom hast thou made them all."

Near the town of Monterey, with its old capitol building still standing, and its little custom house, on the flag pole of which the first American flag was raised more than half a century ago, stands Hotel del Monte, the gem of California. As to architecture, the building is not comparable to the Ponce de Leon at St. Augustine, though larger, but its surpassing charm lies in the surroundings, which have earned for it a well deserved reputation. Three hours' ride from San Francisco, with a climate much more exhilarating than that of Southern California, in a setting of 126 cultivated acres, including nearly all the peninsula of Monterey, Nature and Art seem to have joined hands to produce an ideal spot.

Wide spreading live oaks and towering pines have their unsightly trunks beautified by a thick growth of English ivy, and the barren spots underneath, where sunshine is barred out, are made to blossom with the modest blue-flowering myrtle. There are beautiful gardens and walks and drives over which one can ramble for days and still find something new and attractive. As at Coronado, an interesting cypress maze has been grown; a net of amusement for the unwary.

Most interesting is the drive beside the sea, and through Cypress Grove, where grows the Monterey cypress, found nowhere else, but resembling the cedar of Lebanon. Scientists estimate that some of these trees must be three thousand years old, and one, can easily believe it, looking at the weird grotesque shapes which the trunks and branches have assumed, so gnarled as to suggest bronze statues of gladiatorial combats.

Another drive takes one through fields that are veritable flower gardens, only planted by God, not man; lupins, buttercups, yellow violets, marguerites and innumerable other flowers growing in wild profusion on all sides.

Up in the top of a mountain, seven miles from Santa Cruz, is Big Tree Grove, where are monsters of the forest second only to those of the Yosemite. There stands the Giant, 300 feet high and almost 65 feet in circumference; also Gen. Freemont, so named because that warrior encamped in it for some time during the Mexican war, and in the hollow of which thirty-five people can stand. Flames have at one time swept over this forest, before man's recollection, or history's record, but still on they grow, and have grown for thousands of years. How young one feels beside them!

The orchards of San Jose, where the peach, pear, plum, apricot, and many other of the deciduous fruits grow luxuriantly, were just blossoming. On the summit of Mt. Hamilton, twenty-six miles distant by stage, but plainly visible from San Jose, glistens the nickel dome of the great Lick Observatory, where Professor Keeler is now stationed.

One of our most interesting days of sight-seeing was at Palo Alto, thirty-three miles from San Francisco, the seat of the Leland Stanford, Jr., University. This gigantic memorial in its incipiency, is said to have been the suggestion of the thoughtful little son of Senator and Mrs. Stanford, who, during his short life of sixteen years, surrounded by all the luxuries wealth could afford, continually manifested the deepest interest in the welfare of less favored youth, and suggested that this estate of 8,000 acres be the location where educational facilities, with free tuition, should be provided. Mrs. Stanford is the last of the family now living, and exercises a personal supervision. At present, there are about 1,200 students in attendance, both young men and women, but when all the buildings have been completed, it is expected that 5,000 can be accommodated.

California's supply of churches, public libraries, schools and colleges is by no means limited.

San Francisco, while a very important city, is not beautiful. Were it not for the cable lines of railway, California avenue and many other streets, would be utterly inaccessible. So precipitous are they in many places as to be overgrown with grass from curb to curb, showing how seldom a vehicle passes that way. Most of the houses are frame. Many of the house servants are Chinese, and so prosperous are some of that na-

tionality that Sing Fat, a merchant of Chinatown, is said to be a multi-millionaire.

Very extensive views of the bay and the ocean beyond may be had from Strawberry Hill at Golden Gate Park, and also from the parapet at Sutro Heights, where a good view of Seal Rocks may also be enjoyed. The Sutro bath house is enormous, containing numerous pools, a museum and other attractions. The art building at Golden Gate Park is a reminder of the Mid-Winter Exposition.

One of the most interesting features of San Francisco is the Presidio, with fortresses seemingly impregnable, the barracks and little chapel for the soldiers, the extensive hospitals for the sick and wounded, which became requisite with the opening of recent hostilities, and the soldiers' cemetery. Driving through the Presidio, we saw General Shafter, and we were afforded an excellent view of the entrance to San Francisco's extensive harbor.

With the sunlight streaming from the heavens above, rich mineral wealth in the earth beneath, and golden flowers on its surface, what wonder that this entrance has been appropriately named the Golden Gate?

Leaving San Francisco one evening in April, some palmetoes, which we saw as the train stopped at Sacramento, were our last evidence of summer land, for in the morning, we were rushing through the thirty-eight miles of snow sheds as we journeyed homeward. To do justice to Colorado's incomparable mountain scenery, through which we passed, would require a volume. Again and again have the words of Lucy Larcom's beautiful poem of "Thanksgiving" found an echo in our hearts

For the earth and all its beauty,
The sky and all its light;
For the dim and soothing shadows,
That rest the dazzled sight;
For unfading fields and prairies,
Where sense in vain has trod;
For thy world's exhaustless beauty,
I thank thee, O my God!

GEORGINA G. NEGLLY.

AN APPRECIATION.

A word in regard to Miss Pelletreau is always welcomed with gladness by her many sincere friends. Therefore, I take great pleasure in informing the readers of the Recorder of her delightful class in Parliamentary Procedure, held this last winter in East End, Pittsburgh. Through the kind hospitality of

Mrs. Palmer, of Aiken avenue, the class met for the most of the time in her parlors. I feel that I voice the entire class in saying that the whole course was very helpful and instructive. Miss Pelletreau's gracious and attractive manner, as well as being so well informed on the subject, having had a rich experience, made the study a perfect delight. So well pleased were the class that they have arranged with Miss Pelletreau to give them a more advanced course in the fall—beginning in October. As this is Woman's Century in the truest sense, and a knowledge of parliamentary law is so important in every organization, I would commend all ladies who can, to avail themselves of Miss Pelletreau's superior instruction on this subject.

A MEMBER OF THE CLASS.

COLLEGE NEWS.

Mary Smith, the colored girl, who has been supported for the fourth year in Scotia Seminary, worked in Pittsburg last summer and was enabled to speak before the college students in September. Mary has the gift of language in expressing her appreciation of the many favors shown her.

The Missionary Society has held its monthly meetings and has continued the support of a scholarship in Tokio, and a Bible reader at Allahabad, India. The Central Young Women's Christian Association received from this society a stereopticon for use in the various classes. A collection from the entire school was used to re-paper the P. C. W. room in "the annex."

Miss Mary W. Brownson was granted a leave of absence at the close of the first semester in order to visit the countries in which Bible history was made. Her letters have been enjoyable and prove her thorough consecration to her chosen work. Miss Brownson will return in September and will be a resident teacher.

Miss Van Gundy's resignation was tendered in January, that she might accept a position in Miss Dana's school, Morristown, N. J. Miss Van Gundy's departure was only made possible by the coming of Mrs. Robert Armstrong, class '88, who had previously substituted with marked success. Mrs. Armstrong will be a member of next year's faculty.

Miss N. C. Fisher, who has for three years been an efficient

teacher of piano in the School of Music, will spend the winter 1900 and 1901 in Berlin. She will join Miss DeVore in New York July fifth to sail upon the S. S. Bremen. Two months in England and Paris will precede the German capital.

It is with deepest regret we learn that Miss Ellen Goodrich Means, professor of literature and rhetoric, severs her connection with the college that she may study in Columbia University. Miss Means has created an analytical criticism of literature and an interest in the best writings that has proved her success.

Miss Mary Alice Stockton's resignation of the college secretaryship that she may share in the care of her father during his illness, brings universal regret. She has shown untiring devotion and loyal allegiance to the best interests of her alma mater.

The "all work" theory has found no place in the college—for teas, receptions, "San Souci" surprises, and "Western Reserve" delights have been intermingled with Hallowe'en witcheries, and St. Valentine's beguilements. The "old girls" have not forgotten the "new girls" who, in turn, have been gracious by way of remembrance. The Seniors have made hospitable us of the charming parlor, and the Sophomores (joy to themselves and pride to others) have cooled brains fevered with study, a weariness of the flesh, by trolley rides. Strangers have been welcomed and friends have been made to rejoice—Miss Clark, and Miss Means have been at home in the library for the Seniors and their friends to meet Miss DeVore, when the green and white gave cooling refreshment to the first warm day. March fifth, Miss DeVore's birthday, was the occasion of a dinner, dainty in detail as it was happy in the conception of the Faculty, who tendered it. Omissions from this list of happenings indicate the wealth of good things.

Dr. and Mrs. Martin, president-elect and his wife, were entertained at dinner by Miss DeVore on Easter Monday. Rev. T. H. Robinson, Mrs. Robinson, Rev. Wm. L. McEwen, Mrs. McEwen, the College Faculty and resident Seniors were invited to meet them at dinner.

The Women's Press Club, of which Miss DeVore has been secretary, enjoyed a lecture, "Robert Louis Stevenson," by Mrs. Isobel Strong. The lecture was given in Dilworth hall, followed by an informal reception in the drawing rooms. At

the luncheon Miss DeVore gave in Mrs. Strong's honor there were many charming details of the Samoa home given.

The Colloquium reception to the delegates of the State Federation of Women's Clubs added to the reputation of the Pennsylvania College for Women for hospitality and to the members of Colloquium for their grace as hostesses.

Over two hundred students were present at the "May Day party," May twelfth. The enjoyment of this afternoon was largely increased by the singing of Miss Elizabeth Patterson, a former student, who has spent many years in study with Marchesi and other foreign teachers. Miss Miles proved herself a good accompanist.

CLASS OF 1900.

Colors,	-	-	-	Green and White.
Flower,	-	-	-	Lily of the Valley.
Class Stone,	-	-	-	Emerald.

Honorary Members: Mrs. Aaron French and Mr. S. S. Marvin.
 Class Officers: Alice Keller Thomas, President; Nina May Ellis, Secretary; Martha Whyte Mahood, Treasurer.

ESSAY SUBJECTS.

"The Function of the Fool in Lear,"	-	Alice Keller Thomas.
"Shakespeare's Use of the Underplot in Lear,"	-	-
-	-	Martha Whyte Mahood.
"Wordsworth—A Poet of Nature,"	-	Emma Halsey Snyder.
"Dramatic Art as Shown in King Lear,"	-	-
-	-	Elizabeth Holliday Smith.
"The Literary Art of Browning and Tennyson Compared,"	-	-
-	-	Nina May Ellis.

THE WORK OF THE COLLOQUIUM, 1899-1900.

Being a member of Colloquium during the past year has been a pleasure and a privilege, and were it not that one has to take ones turn in the programme the pleasure would have been an unalloyed one.

From September until the close of last year, the study of American history and literature was continued up to the period preceding the "War of the Rebellion." Then it was noticed by those having the programme in charge that the members seemed to have had sufficient of American history, and it

was thought best to allow them to suggest the lines of thought and study which they wished to pursue. The eyes of the world being turned to Paris as the seat of the World's Exposition, the club decided to study France, and as the France of to-day is the result of centuries preceding, the subject resolved itself into France in the Eighteenth and Nineteenth Centuries.

No more interesting subject could have been chosen, and the committee in making out the programme found the greatest difficulty in getting the most important subjects into the number of Mondays available in 1900.

The plan was to have one long paper (a twenty-minute one), at each meeting, and the rest of the time, about one hour, to be taken up by five or six informal talks on subjects bearing on, or closely allied to, the subject of the long paper. While several members have overstepped the time given them, the papers have been very good, and the short talks have been the most interesting and original, if not some of the brightest, features of the meetings. The members are not allowed to be forgetful or ignorant of present day affairs, and accordingly at every meeting, the club hears something of current events, or enjoys a book review.

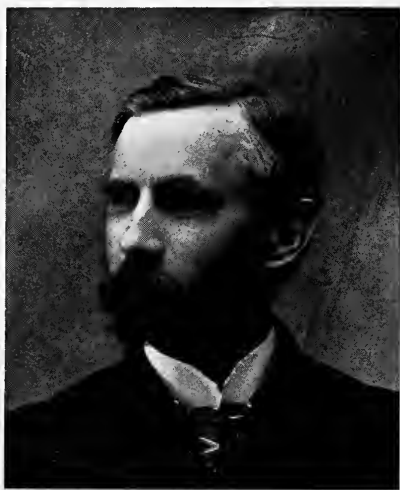
With the close of the half-year's study, the club will lose its president, Miss DeVore. To her, much of the success of the club has been due, and she will be missed much when the work is again taken up in the fall.

In closing this brief sketch of the work of Colloquium, the writer wishes to venture to say that it is her humble opinion, that if the members appreciate the privilege of belonging to the organization, the club has the brightest prospect of being the best of its kind in the city.

LYDIA KELLER MURDOCH, '94.

THE DECADE CLUB.

A movement indicative of unusual life and energy startled the members of the Alumnae Association last fall. It was viewed with some distrust at first, as the Alumnae is inclined to view everything that seems to demand any expenditure of energy. The movement was started by Miss De Vore ostensibly for the purpose of interesting some of the Alumnae in the case of a bright young girl who is working her way through the college, and whom she thought would need some assistance. Miss DeVore's real motive, however, was to bring the Alum-



**Dr. Chalmers Martin,
New President.**



nae, or, at least, a part of it together, give the girls a common interest, get them in touch with one another and keep them a little bit in touch with the college.

In explaining her motives, Miss DeVore made one remark that prickled rather sharply. When a new president came to the college, she hoped he would not feel so entirely alone and unsupported as she had done. She would like some sort of an organization at the college, or in connection with it, that would at least shake hands with him and tell him he was welcome.

As the older members of the Alumnae are pretty well scattered, and so long out of college that they cannot be expected to take as active interest in it as the younger ones, Miss DeVore suggested the formation of a club among the girls of the last ten years.

After several unsuccessful attempts to get the girls together, a little strategy was resorted to, and cards were issued to the graduates of the past ten years for a tea at the home of Mrs. Charles Robert Porter. The strategy was successful, and the Decade club started on its career.

It was organized as a purely social club without either constitution or by-laws, meeting every month at the home of the members, a different class entertaining each time. The officers of the club are Miss Marguerite Bonnett, president; Mrs. Charles Robert Porter, vice president; Miss Emilie Schellenberg, treasurer, and Miss Ida McCandless, secretary.

With a very few exceptions all the girls who have graduated from the college the past ten years have joined the club, and the monthly reunions are delightful affairs.

On the fourth of May the Decade club gave an entertainment at the college for the benefit of the young student in whom Miss DeVore was interested, and cleared over 350. The entertainment was one of the most successful ever given in Dilworth hall. It was an "Evening With Nevin," and included a delightful musical program, carried out by Miss Rachel B. Frease, Miss Charlotte E. Wagner, Prof. Joseph H. Gittings, Mr. John R. Roberts and Mr. Myron E. Barnes, which was followed by Mr. Nevin's new song cycle, "Captive Memories," by the same musicians, assisted by Miss Inez Estel Draper of the college faculty. This was illustrated by a series of pictures in which the following members of the club posed: Miss Edith Stockton, Miss Emilie Schellenberg, Miss Florence Parry, Miss Ida McCandless, Miss Harriet McCarty, Miss Aimee Beringer, Miss Matilda Milligan, Mrs. Walter Mellor and Mrs. Maurice Trimble, assisted by Mr. Trimble and Dr. Walter C. McCandless. Fifty of the most prominent women of the city were patronesses of the affair.

J. B., '93.

EDITORIAL.

The editors wish to draw attention to an innovation in this year's issue, that of throwing all the classes into one alphabet. This was done at the request of the officers of the Association, in the hope that it may prove more useful to those using the register for address purposes than in its former state.

It is a source of great regret that the "Recorder" does not contain more news from graduates of the seventies and eighties. They came so nobly to the front last year, are they resting on their laurels now?

Most hearty thanks are due the Alumnae for so kindly replying to the request for articles, letters and personal items. Only those who have edited the "Recorder" can appreciate the feeling with which responses are welcomed. It is truly delightful to find so many ready and willing to aid in furnishing interesting reading for their fellow members.

For the benefit of their successors, the present editors sincerely hope this interest and kindness will prove permanent, and that the "Recorder" will become each year more and more worthy of the Alumnae Association.

PERSONALS.

The Helen E. Pelletreau Scholarship committee is indebted to Mr. Andrew Carnegie for his courtesy in donating one hundred dollars to their fund.

Mrs. Helen Duncan Patton, and little son Duncan, of Brownsville, spent several weeks in the city during January and February as the guests of Miss Jennie McCance, in Penn avenue, and Mrs. John A. Wood, Jr., nee Mary Fishburn, in Wilkinsburg. Mrs. Patton is planning to spend next winter in the South of France.

The engagement of Florence Waller Parry to Frank Carmack, of Wilkinsburg, is announced.

Mrs. Betty Boyle Armstrong is teaching at the college.

We are much pleased to learn that six daughters of the Alumnae are in college this year.

The engagement of Miss Eleanor Baldwin to Mr. Hayward Harlow is announced. The wedding is to be an event of the near future.

Mrs. Susie Wadsworth Paull writes that she has just com-

pleted her new home, and, after being twenty years in one house, her feelings are something, as Will Carleton expresses, "Out of the old home into the new."

Miss Mary Breed has been spending the winter at Bryn Mawr working for new honors.

Miss Alice Davidson is continuing her studies at Bryn Mawr this year.

The many friends of Miss Carrie Eggers will be pleased to hear of her complete recovery from a severe attack of nervous prostration last fall.

Miss Mary Christy has the sympathy of her friends in the loss of her father, which occurred in March.

The class of '97 has had two very enjoyable reunions this last year. In June Miss Milligan entertained her class-mates at a beautiful luncheon at her home in Swissvale, while in February the class spent a delightful afternoon at the home of Miss Hood.

Miss Brownlee's "old girls" will sympathise with her in the sorrow which came to her with the death of her father in December last.

The engagement of Miss Matilda Milligan to Mr. Gordon Fisher is announced. Mr. Fisher is a son of Dr. Fisher.

Miss Nancy Acheson has spent the winter studying at Barnard College, Columbia University.

Miss Jennie DeVore and Miss Lyra Kelly, of the class of '99, are teaching.

Miss Luella Meloy has taken up Settlement work in Buffalo, and is a very enthusiastic worker.

Miss Sara Bryant and Miss Marguerite Bonnett have been engaged in Library work during the past winter.

Miss Anna Robinson has the sympathy of her friends in the loss of her father, whose death occurred during the winter.

The death of the brother of Miss Annie Kearns and Mrs. E. Kearns Coyle, in April, was a great shock to the family and their friends extend sincere sympathy to them in their bereavement,

ALUMNÆ REGISTER.

OFFICERS—1899-1900.

President,	-	-	-	Mrs. Arthur V. Davis.
Vice President,	-	-	-	Miss Elizabeth Barnes.
Secretary,	-	-	-	Miss Marguerite Bonnett.
Treasurer,	-	-	-	Miss Margaret Easton.

HONORARY MEMBERS.

- Miss Isabel BeVier, Plymouth, Ohio.
 Miss Janet C. Brownlee, Pennsylvania College for Women.
 Miss R. Jane DeVore.
 Miss Anna M. Hamilton, Pennsylvania College for Women.
 Miss Emma Jewett, Pennsylvania College for Women.
 *Mrs. Charles Lockhart.
 Miss Ellen G. Means, Pennsylvania College for Women.
 Miss Helen E. Pelletreau, 4 First Place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Miss M. J. Pike, 300 Ophelia street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

GRADUATE MEMBERS.

- Estelle Abrams (Mrs. William Sherwood), 3146 Lake Park avenue, Chicago, Ill., '82.
 Mary W. Acheson (Mrs. Charles Spencer), Amberson avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '82.
 Nancy S. Acheson, care John D. Speer, Dallas avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '98.
 Maude L. Aiken (Mrs. David Leland Wright), 5312 Ellsworth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '86.
 Rachel C. Aiken, Amberson avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '82.
 M. Grace Anderson, Shady avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '94.
 Florence C. Aull, Fifth avenue, Bellefield, Pittsburgh, Pa., '94.
 Fannie Axtell, (Mrs. T. D. Harman), 6223 Marchand street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '81.
 Eleanor McA. Baldwin, Mifflintown, Pa., '94.
 Mary L. Baldwin (Mrs. Herbert Miller Robertson), 1146 Russell street, Detroit, Mich.
 Jeanette Barbour, 824 Beach avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '93.
 Eva M. Bard, 217 Craig street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '94.
 Annie F. Barker, New Brighton, Pa., '98.
 Bessie Barker (Mrs. David Garden), New Brighton, Pa., '82.
 Carrie Barker (Mrs. Henry A. Barrett), New Brighton, Pa., '78.
 Ellen Barker (Mrs. Henry Brown), 423 W. Fourth street, Cincinnati, Ohio, '74.
 Elizabeth L. Barnes, Edgewood Park, Pa., '93.
 *Sue S. Barrett (Mrs. John M. Witherow), '75.
 Dorcas G. Beer, Southern avenue, Bucyrus, Ohio, '88.
 Aimee L. Beringer, Sewickley, Pa., '98.

- Margaret Biggs, Craig street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '95.
Altha Bilderback (Mrs. George P. Harden), La Belle avenue,
Steubenville, Ohio, '82.
Elizabeth R. Black, East Bowman street, Wooster, Ohio, '73.
Elizabeth L. Boale (Mrs. R. G. Armstrong), Leechburg, Pa., '88.
Marguerite W. Bonnett, 5718 Howe street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '96.
Margaret Bowden, Sharon, Pa., '78.
Elizabeth Bowman (Mrs. Frazier), McKeesport, Pa., '78.
Hetty B. Boyle (Mrs. Charles D. Callery), Hotel Schenley, Pitts-
burgh, Pa., '88.
Mary Boyles (Mrs. Clarence Clendinnin), New Castle, Pa., '78.
Mary B. Breed, 5317 Westminister street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '89.
Helen T. Brown, 169 Marion avenue, Mansfield, Ohio, '90.
*Mary Eliza Brown, '76.
Eliza Bryant (Mrs. William P. Barker), Greenfield avenue and
Kearcher street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '92.
Sarah Bryant, Bluff street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '94.
Jennie Burgher, 906 Penn avenue., Pittsburgh, Pa., '82.
Elizabeth Burt (Mrs. Walter Mellor), Edgewood Park, Pa., '95.
Lidie Campbell (Mrs. Lidie Campbell Stewart), Sewickley,
Pa., '74.
Margaretta Campbell (Mrs. John H. Kerr), San Rafael, Cal., '77.
Katherine C. Carnahan, 530 N. Negley ave., Pittsburg, Pa., '87.
Cora E. Carr (Mrs. George P. Jones), Finlay, Ohio, '86.
Alberta Carrier (Mrs. Allen Wood), Forbes street, corner Mey-
ran avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '76.
Mary H. Christy, Carnegie, Pa., '97.
Jane B. Clark, 1409 Chartiers street, Allegheny, Pa., '81.
Margaret Clark (Mrs. A. H. Trimble), 103 Euclid avenue, Belle-
vue, Pa., '82.
Nannie Clark, 1409 Chartiers street, Allegheny, Pa., '84.
Mayrie Cleaver (Mrs. Charles Hain), 1419 Broadway, Kansas
City, Mo., '75.
Mary Lou Cummings (Mrs. B. A. Jenkins), 1002 Oak street,
Knoxville, Tenn., '81.
Bettie P. Cunningham (Mrs. David Stewart), Stewart, Pa., '91.
Alice R. Davidson, 704 North avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '98.
Elizabeth B. Davidson, 704 North avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '96.
Eva Davis (Mrs. William S. Husleton), Fifth avenue near Bid-
well street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '74.
Joanna K. Davis, 5103 Atlantic avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '74.
Jennie De Vore, Georgetown, Ohio, '99.
Emilie D. Dicken (Mrs. Charles H. Kerr), 242 Dithridge street,
Pittsburgh, Pa., '96.
Helen Duncan (Mrs. James Holmes Patton) Brownsville,
Pa., '90.
Etta Easton (Mrs. Wilmer G. Martin), 407 East End avenue,
Pittsburgh, Pa., '92.
Margaret Easton, Roup street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '91.
Edith L. Edeburn, 5912 Rural avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '96.

- Carrie E. Eggers, 172 Ohio street, Allegheny, Pa., '97.
 Nina May Ellis, Marchand street, Pittsburg, Pa., '00.
 Mary E. English, Mahonington, Pa., '89.
 Blanche Evans (Mrs. Julius A. McClure), 1427 San Antonia avenue, Alameda, California, '82.
 Susan M. Ewing (Mrs. James E. Hays), The Marie Antoinette, New York, N. Y., 87.
 Emma Fergus, Elizabeth, Pa., '85.
 Reta F. Ferguson, Fifth and Shady avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '87.
 Olivia Fisher, Oil City, Pa., '89.
 Edna J. Ford (Mrs. James Modisette), 5438 Page Boulevard, St. Louis, Mo., '07.
 Marguerite Fowler (Mrs. H. Morris Richmond), Meadville, Pa., '77.
 *Sallie Frazier (Mrs. Burritt H. Sawyer), '74.
 Sarah Fredericks (Mrs. S. F. Marks), Tideoute, Pa., '81.
 Lydie C. Gracie (Mrs. E. H. Peak), 222 Winona avenue, Germantown, Pa., '76.
 Anna M. Grayson, Elysian avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '76.
 Grace G. Griffith (Mrs. Edward P. Brown), 1902 F street, Lincoln, Neb., '89.
 Sara L. Hamill (Mrs. Maurice Trimble), 22 Rebecca street, Allegheny, Pa., '92.
 Ida E. Harden (Mrs. Gustave A. Aschman), McLure House, Wheeling, W. Va., '75.
 Eva Hays (Mrs. M. Eva Hays), Schenley Hotel, Pittsburgh, Pa., '78.
 Nettie C. Hays, Birmingham avenue and Forest street, Avalon, Pa., '92.
 May Hedges (Mrs. Frank Tallmedge), 1470 E. Long street, Columbus, Ohio, '77.
 Ruth I. Henrici, 317 Shetland avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '96.
 Lillian G. Hill (Mrs. John O'Neil), 1753 Second avenue, Hazelwood, Pa., '90.
 Sara Hillman, 5512 Margaretta street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '97.
 Elizabeth Hillman, 5512 Margaretta street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '90.
 Florence I. Holmes (Mrs. Arthur V. Davis), Hotel Schenley, Pittsburgh, Pa., '75.
 Grace W. Hood, 131 North avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '97.
 Ella Hughes, Keokuk, Iowa, '75.
 *Ella Hutchinson (Mrs. Finlay B. Pugh), '74.
 Jennie M. Jackson, Mercer, Pa., '82.
 Nettie Jamison (Mrs. William H. Vincent), Detroit, Mich., '75.
 Carrie Jenks, Brookville, Pa., '75.
 Sarah J. Jenks, Brookville, Pa., '76.
 Jenifer C. Jennings (Mrs. S. S. Leslie), 545 Walnut street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '86.
 *Sarah N. Johnston, '77.
 Mary McC. Jones, 528 South Frans street, Sherman, Texas, '79.
 Annie D. Kearns, 149 Dithridge street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '94.

- Emma Kearns (Mrs. William L. Coyle), 149 Dithridge street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '81.
- Lyra F. Kelly, St. Clair and Margaretta streets, Pittsburgh, Pa., '99.
- Effie B. King, Bidwell street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '77.
- Elizabeth Kirk (Mrs. William Post), 21 East End avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '88.
- L. May Krepps, 920 Bellefonte street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '94.
- Emily Kurtz, New Castle, Pa., '78.
- Bella Laughlin (Mrs. Robert P. Marshall), Kittanning, Pa., '78.
- *Laurel Locke (Mrs. Stoughton Fletcher), '73.
- Susan H. Locke (Mrs. C. D. Mason), "Hillcrest," Ashland, O., '77.
- Janet W. Lockhart (Mrs. John K. McCune), Fifth and College avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '87.
- Martha F. Lockhart (Mrs. Henry Lee Mason) North Highland avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '88.
- Frank Low (Mrs. Richard Sears Sayre), Middletown, N. Y., '78.
- Margaret S. Lyon (Mrs. J. E. Yalden), 326 W. 83rd street, New York, N. Y., '77.
- Annie B. Lyons (Mrs. F. R. Martin), Varna, Ill., '77.
- Anna Lysle (Mrs. W. J. E. McLain), Claysville, Pa., '82.
- Elizabeth W. McCague, 409 Morewood avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '98.
- Jennie McCance, Penn and Dallas avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '90.
- Ida M. McCandless, 1522 Center avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '98.
- Harriet D. McCarty, 204 Dithridge street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '97.
- Westanna McCay (Mrs. John M. Pardee), Collins avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '79.
- Belle McConnell, 718 Thomas street, care Mr. McElroy, '80.
- Lulu G. McConnell, 702 North avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '94.
- Jennie McCracken (Mrs. Robert Elliott) 2102 Sidney street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '84.
- Elizabeth A. McCreary, Superior avenue, near California avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '87.
- Anna W. McCullough (Mrs. Denna Ogden), Greensburg, Pa., '82.
- Rachel McCullough, Oakmont, Pa., '75.
- Mary McIntosh (Mrs. A. R. Wells), Wellsville, Ohio, '75.
- Mary E. Mackey, 114 Meridan street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '97.
- Bessie McKnight (Mrs. Thomas J. Gregg), Occidental Hotel, Hueneme, Cal., '73.
- Flora McKnight (Mrs. W. L. Pierce), Western avenue and Fulton street, Allegheny, Pa., '77.
- Luella McKown (Mrs. A. K. Joy), Leader office, Pittsburgh, Pa., '78.
- *Effie McMillan, '76.
- Martha Whyte Mahood, Princeton Place, Pittsburgh, Pa., '00.
- Mary Mason (Mrs. Bowser), Mercer, Pa., '78.
- Mary W. Matthews (Mrs. J. B. Clark), 4 First Place, Brooklyn, N. Y., '86.
- Hannah W. Maxwell, Lilac street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '92.

- Minnie Sellers, 6216 Howe street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '73.
 Anne Meloy, West Newton, Pa., '96.
 Luella P. Meloy, West Newton, Pa., '84.
 Claribel Merriman (Mrs. D. T. Robey), Kenton, Ohio, '76.
 Sara A. Milholland, Walnut street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '92.
 Matilda C. Milligan, Swissvale, Pa., '97.
 *Sue T. Mitchell (Mrs. M. G. Kyle), '79.
 Fannye Morgan (Mrs. Edwin Porter), 3333 Forbes street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '82.
 Lydia K. Murdoch, Forbes and Boquet streets, Pittsburgh, Pa., '94.
 Georgina G. Negley, 305 N. Negley avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '82.
 Keziah Negley (Mrs. George Senft), Ligonier, Pa., '76.
 *Lida A. Nelson, '82.
 *Mary H. Nevin, '96.
 Eleanor Neyman (Mrs. C. S. Haines), 212 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, Mass., '82.
 Emma C. Norton (Mrs. H. J. Miller), Kenton, Ohio, '76.
 Lucy O'Hara (Mrs. David Morrison), 47 Stockton avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '73.
 Rachel O'Neil (Mrs. Robert Kennedy), Uniontown, Pa., '81.
 Josephine Ormond (Mrs. J. R. Calder), 1861 Parkwood avenue, Toledo, Ohio, '78.
 Mary G. Ormond, 1861 Parkwood avenue, Toledo, Ohio, '81.
 Florence W. Parry, 1104 Wood street, Wilkesburg, Pa., '99.
 Mary Patterson (Mrs. F. W. Green), 1170 N. Edward street, Decatur, Illinois, '75.
 Melissa B. Patterson (Mrs. C. R. Porter), California avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '94.
 Rachel M. Pears (Mrs. J. H. McClelland), Fifth and Wilkins avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '77.
 Lily V. Pickergill, Western avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '91.
 Agnes Pitcairn (Mrs. Omar Decker), 711 Lilac street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '77.
 Lillie Pitcairn (Mrs. Charles L. Taylor), 5533 Ellsworth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '77.
 Caroline L. Porter (Mrs. James Sloan Hill), Latrobe, Pa., '92.
 Elizabeth B. Raney (Mrs. Howard Kirke), New Castle, Pa., '94.
 Elsie Rankin (Mrs. Chester Wallace), 112 N. Mill street, New Castle, Pa., '89.
 Lafie C. Reed, Mt. Pleasant, Ohio, '75.
 Mary Renshaw (Mrs. Richard E. Chislett), 5131 Ellsworth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '73.
 Rebecca F. Renshaw, 620 S. Negley avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '74.
 Esther D. Reynolds (Mrs. Edwin Alger), West Richfield, O., '80.
 Susanna Riddle, 820 Ridge avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '94.
 Eliabeth C. Riggs, Rural avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '89.
 Mary Robbins (Mrs. W. S. Miller), 4741 Bayard street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '77.
 Annie M. Robinson, 65 Union avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '96.
 Elizabeth Robinson, Parker, Pa., '90.
 Emilie M. Schellenberg, 5746 Howe street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '99.
 *Mary M. Schofield, '76.
 Anna Scott (Mrs. D. V. Donaldson), Hagerman Block, Colorado Springs, Colorado, '77.
 Ella C. Scott (Mrs. James E. Brown), 310 S. Highland avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '91.

- *Annie Shriver (Mrs. John Hawkins), '74.
 *Ida Shaefer, '91.
 Elizabeth Simpson (Mrs. John Milliken), P. O. 381, Hartford, Conn., '88.
 Anna Singer (Mrs. Henry Ebbert), 6706 Penn avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '76.
 Lee Singleton (Mrs. Alfred Paull), 727 Main street, Wheeling, W. Va., '74.
 Elizabeth Holliday Smith, Hartford City, Indiana, '00.
 Emma Halsey Snyder, 809 Maryland avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '00.
 Mary Speer, Thomas street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '95.
 Annie B. Sterrett, 3800 Walnut street, Philadelphia, Pa., '74.
 Emma Sterrett, 3800 Walnut street, Philadelphia, Pa., '75.
 Eleanor J. Stevenson, 3501 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '86.
 Jennie Stewart (Mrs. Ernest Acheson), 105 Maiden street, Washington, Pa., '74.
 *Kate Stewart, '77.
 Alice Stockton, Brookfield, Ohio, '88.
 Edith R. Stockton, Brookfield, Ohio, '97.
 Emma Stoughton (Mrs. Ernest S. Irwin), 69 Vienna street, Cleveland, Ohio, '77.
 *Lucy Stewart (Mrs. Joseph S. Vincent), '77.
 *Helen Sykes (Mrs. Charles R. Mair), '82.
 Martha Taylor (Mrs. M. S. Hemenway), Butler, Pa., '85.
 Alice Kellar Thomas, Thirteenth street, South Side, Pittsburgh, Pa., 1900.
 Lizzie Thomas (Mrs. Wallace Imhoff), Penn avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '81.
 M. Elizabeth Thurston (Mrs. L. B. Stillwell), Niagara Falls, N. Y., '84.
 Helen Townsend (Mrs. Joseph Mayer), New Brighton, Pa., '74.
 *Mary Van Eman (Mrs. Christian A. Berger), '82.
 Aimie Wainwright (Mrs. William Abbott, Moorwood avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '75.
 Grace E. Wainwright (Mrs. L. L. Voight), N. Highland avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '94.
 Gertrude Walker (Mrs. A. G. Holmes), 3803 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '84.
 Kate P. Walker (Mrs. J. Walter Hay), 23 North avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '85.
 Lallah Walker (Mrs. C. C. Merriman), Kenton, Ohio, '76.
 Susan Walker (Mrs. Paul Wadsworth), 761 Madison avenue, Albany, N. Y., '76.
 Elizabeth Wallace, Fifth avenue and Craig street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '89.
 Jennie B. Wallace, Sewickley, Pa., '75.
 Sallie L. Wallace (Mrs. C. B. Mather), Toledo, Ohio, '87.
 Grace Watson (Mrs. S. C. Warmcastle), N. Highland and Stewart street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '77.
 Ida Welch, Cadiz, Ohio, '77.
 Alice M. Wells, 603 Shady avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '86.
 *Anna Welch (Mrs. Craig Moore), '77.
 A. Jane Wightman, Forbes and Wightman street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '76.
 *Mary Wightman (Mrs. J. H. Noble), '75.
 Lillian Willock, Beaver street, Sewickley, Pa., '75.
 Eliza C. Wilson (Mrs. Charles McKnight), Sewickley, Pa., '80.
 *Deceased.



Alumnæ Recorder

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JUNE, 1901.

Editorial

The editors of the Recorder desire to thank such of the Alumnae who promptly and kindly sent in their replies and news, and to express their regret that more did not do so. Girls, 'tis your Alma Mater who calls to you! Can you not awaken your interest and arouse yourselves for the sake of the good old days which are past, and live only in the memory? Sweet memories they are, too.

On account of the illness of our President, Miss Murdoch, at the time of publication, she was unable to write her address. So we were obliged to offer you the Recorder, minus its usual interesting preface, from the pen of our presiding officer.

Doubtless much comment will be made upon the brevity of this year's Recorder. It was decided that, as it is supposed to be a record of Alumnae, it would be better to keep it purely within Alumnae lines, containing only such news, notes, business and matter as pertains to it.

Thus the college notes, etc., are omitted, but they will always be found in the Sorosis, the college paper.

In conclusion, we desire our sisters to deal kindly and leniently with us, as our time for this work has been but one short month, and very uphill work, due to refusals to serve on committee, and to illness of the appointed chairman, Mrs. Charles Kerr.

Alumnæ Minutes

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION OF THE PENNSYLVANIA COLLEGE FOR WOMEN, HELD JUNE 8th, 1900

The meeting was called to order by the President, Mrs. A. V. Davis. The roll call showed forty-two active and honorary members present.

The minutes of the special meeting, held January 27th, 1900, were read and approved. It was moved by Mrs. Miller and seconded that the class of 1900 be admitted to membership in the association. Carried. The new members, Misses Alice Thomas, Martha Mahood, Nina Ellis, Elizabeth Smith and Emma Snyder were welcomed by the President.

Next in order was the President's address, in which the history of the Alumnae was dealt with, to which all gave attention.

The treasurer's report was next read, the receipts being \$131.55, disbursements \$117.79, balance in bank \$13.76. Report was approved.

The Scholarship Committee reported balance in bank and cash \$486.18, with \$5,000 invested in mortgages, makes a total of \$5,486.18. Report was approved.

It was announced that the Decade club had given \$370.00 to the Helen E. Pelletreau Scholarship Fund. Moved by Mrs. William Miller and seconded that a vote of thanks be extended the Decade club in appreciation of its generosity. Carried.

It was moved by Miss Murdoch and seconded that the matter of the College colors be put in the hands of a committee. Carried by a rising vote.

The matter of the completion of the Scholarship was brought up and discussed with spirit; the result being that \$100.00 was pledged in amounts of \$5.00 each, by individuals and classes.

Those who so promptly responded were as follows: Miss Renshaw, Mrs. McClelland, Mrs. William McClelland, Mrs. Decker, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Spencer, Miss Anderson, Miss Eaton, Miss Eggers, Miss Kelly, Miss Schellenberg, Miss Jennie DeVore, Miss Parry and Miss Jackson. Class of '94, class of '95, class of '97, class of '92 and class of '00.

Next in order was the election of officers. The nominating committee reported the following nominations:

President, Miss Lydia K. Murdoch; vice president, Miss Sara Bryant; secretary, Miss Marguerite W. Bonnett; treasurer, Miss Eva M. Bard.

The secretary was instructed to cast the vote, which was done, and the above declared elected.

The Recorder editors were: Mrs. Frank Carmack, editor-in-chief; Miss Edith Edeburn, Miss Alice K. Thomas and Mrs. C. H. Kerr.

Moved and seconded to adjourn. Carried.

MARGUERITE WALDRON BONNETT,
Secretary.

Treasurer's Report

FOR YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1901.

RECEIPTS.

Balance in Bank, May 1, 1900,	-	-	-	-	\$13 76
Annual Fees,	-	-	-	-	80 00
Interest on Deposit,	-	-	-	-	35
Total,	-	-	-	-	\$94 11

DISBURSEMENTS.

Printing Editor's Postals,	-	-	-	-	\$ 4 50
Editor's Expenses,	-	-	-	-	6 70
Printing Treasurer's Postals,	-	-	-	-	3 50
Printing Recorder,	-	-	-	-	53 00
Balance in Bank May 1, 1901,	-	-	-	-	17.11
Balance on Hand, May 1, 1901,	-	-	-	-	9 30
Total,	-	-	-	-	\$94 11

EVA MOREHEAD BARD,

—Treasurer.

Report of Helen E. Pelletreau Scholarship

Without making any special effort, we continue the scholarship work. Though our plan of last year, to raise an amount sufficient to make our principle, \$7,000, was not as successful as we had hoped, very few responding, we should have felt very downcast, if it had not been for the kind assistance of the Decade club, who gave to our fund out of their own treasury, three hundred and seventy dollars (\$370.00), which was a great help. I wish to extend to them our appreciation of their noble act, and to assure them of our aid, if necessary, to any of their pet projects, in return for their generosity. The public, not taking much interest in scholarships, we do not deem an entertainment advisable. So, we have to rely on our college associates to help us.

We have secured the amount we first considered necessary for the Fund, viz., \$6,000, and are much pleased to have raised it; but with the low rate of interest now prevailing, it is essential to have at least \$7,000 in order to obtain sufficient revenue to accom-

plish the object in view. Our books are still open for subscriptions. Will not some of our kind friends help us?

MRS. CHARLES G. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Treasurer's Report of Helen E. Pelletreau Scholarship

RECEIPTS.

1900.

May 1	Balance on hand.....	\$ 486 18
June 6	Irene M. Peacock.....	10 00
June 6	Mrs. Rees	1 00
June 6	Mrs. V. R. Crabbe.....	1 00
June 11	Rebecca F. Renshaw.....	5 00
June 13	Ida Welsh	5 00
June 16	J. M. Jackson.....	5 00
June 18	Annie E. Laughlin.....	10 00
June 23	Eliza C. McKnight.....	10 00
June 25	Kate J. Reed.....	10 00
June 30	Louise M. Dilworth.....	10 00
July 1	Interest on deposit.....	4 86
July 2	Ethel Acheson	10 00
July 6	Mrs. Robert R. Reed.....	5 00
July 11	Robert Pitcairn	25 00
Aug. 16	Int. mtge No. 1.....	39 00
Sept. 5	Int. mtge No. 4.....	27 00
Sept. 5	On account principal mtge No. 4.....	100 00
Sept. 7	Fannie D. Walker.....	10 00
Oct. 2	Int. mtge No. 3.....	48 00
Oct. 4	Int. mtge No. 2.....	36 00
Oct. 27	Mrs. Taylor.....	10 00
Dec. 3	Jennie C. Jutte.....	10 00
Dec. 3	Per Mrs. Taylor.....	2 00
Dec. 3	Mary B. Miller.....	5 00
Dec. 21	Mrs. O. S. Decker.....	5 00
Dec. 21	Mrs. Charles Spencer.....	5 00

1901.

Jan. 1	Interest on deposit.....	11 54
Feb. 26	Interest mtge No. 1.....	39 00
Mch. 14	Interest mtge No. 4.....	24 00
April 1	M. Grace Anderson.....	5 00
April 7	Interest mtge No. 3.....	48 00
April 12	Carrie Eggers.....	5 00
April 18	Mortgage No. 2.....	36 00
April 18	On account principal mtge No. 2.....	600 00
April 18	For record fee.....	50
April 26	Stamps	3 00
May 2	Decade Club	386 55
May 2	Per Eva Bard part payment Class '94.....	7 00

Total,\$2060 63

DISBURSEMENTS.

1900.		
May 23	Tuition, one scholar.....	100 00
May 24	Taxes, 1899	22 00
May 24	Taxes, 1900	19 00
1901.		
Feb. 16	Tuition and board, one scholar.....	248 00
Feb. 28	Part tuition, one scholar.....	50 00
	Total,	\$ 439 00
1901.		
May 4	Balance (in bank \$1,615.83; cash, \$5.80).....	1621 63
	Total,	\$2060 63

AMOUNT INVESTED IN MORTGAGES.

Mortgage No. 1, interest 6 per cent.....	\$1,300 00
Mortgage No. 2, interest 6 per cent.....	600 00
Mortgage No. 3, interest 6 per cent.....	1,600 00
Mortgage No. 4, interest 6 per cent.....	800 00
Total,	\$4,300 00

This, with the cash balance, makes a total of \$5,921.63, which sum is \$78.37 less than the desired \$6,000.

MARGUERITE W. BONNETT,
Treasurer.

Constitution and By-Laws

ARTICLE I.

Sec. 1. This Association shall be known and designated as "The Alumnae Association of the Pennsylvania College for Women."

Sec. 2. The object of the Association is to further the interests of the College of Pennsylvania and of education in general, and to promote the mutual intercourse and fellowship of the members.

ARTICLE II.

Sec. 1. The Association shall consist of Active, Honorary and Associate members.

Sec. 2. The Active members shall include every graduate of said College.

Sec. 3. The Honorary members shall include the members of the Faculty of at least three years' standing, and the Board of Trustees of the said College, ex-officio, and persons who may be elected Honorary members by a two-thirds vote of the members present at the Annual Business Meeting.

Sec. 4. The Honorary members shall have all privileges except that of holding office and voting.

Sec. 5. The Associate members shall have all the privileges

of the Association except that of attendance upon Business Meetings of the Alumnae Association.

ARTICLE III.

Sec. 1. It shall be the prime duty of each active member to keep the secretary informed of her address and of all facts regarding herself and other members proper to be included in the permanent records of the Association.

ARTICLE IV.

Sec. 1. The officers of the Association shall be a President, a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer. They shall be elected by a majority and shall hold office for one year, or until their successors are elected.

Sec. 2. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Association and shall perform all the other duties devolving on such an office.

Sec. 3. The Vice President shall at all times aid the President in the discharge of her duties and in the absence or disability of the President, shall perform all her duties herein prescribed.

Sec. 4. The Secretary shall keep the minutes of the Association, shall notify officers and committees of their election or appointment, and shall perform the general duties appertaining to the office of Secretary. It shall be her duty to ascertain each year the names, addresses and careers of New, Active and Honorary members, and to enter them on the roll and minutes of the next meeting after the graduation of the said new members; she shall also, after due consideration and consultation with the President of the College, issue all the notices for annual and special meetings.

Sec. 5. The Treasurer shall collect, and under direction of the Association disburse, all funds. She shall report at the annual meeting and oftener if required.

Sec. 6. Two editors shall be annually elected by a two-thirds (2-3) vote of the Association, with a sub-committee of two business editors. This committee shall annually edit and publish "The Alumnae Recorder" of the Association, in which shall be answered any questions asked in regard to other members that is possible to answer, with such further facts regarding the individual members and other general matters of interest to the Association and appropriate to its objects, as may be deemed practicable and proper.

ARTICLE V.

Sec. 1. The Annual Business Meeting of the Association shall take place at the College on the Friday preceeding the commencement day exercises, or at such other time near said date as the Faculty of the College shall appoint. Notice thereof shall be mailed to all members whose addresses are known at least seven days in advance.

Sec. 2. Special Business Meetings may be called by the President at any time, and on the written request of five members such meetings must be called, provided that no business

shall be transacted at any special meeting unless substantially specified in the notices mailed to all members whose addresses are known, at least seven days in advance.

Sec. 3. Ten members shall constitute a quorum of the Association at any meeting, but any less number shall have power to adjourn any regularly called meeting to a subsequent date with or without further notice to the members at large, and at such adjourned meeting any business may be transacted that might have been transacted at the original meeting called, and upon due notice as aforesaid.

Sec. 4. The President may at her own discretion call and arrange for such reunions, banquets or other social meetings of the Association as may be deemed expedient at any time, providing for the expenses of the same out of the funds in the treasury, or by general assessment, or by special charge to persons attending the same.

ARTICLE VI.

Sec. 1. There shall be no initiation fee.

Sec. 2. There shall be an annual due of one dollar paid by each Active member.

Sec. 3. Assessments may be levied by a two-thirds (2-3 vote of the members present at any business meeting of the Association.

Sec. 4. Honorary members shall not be liable to any dues, fees or assessments whatsoever.

By-Laws

Art. 1. The orders of business at the annual meeting of the Association shall be as follows:

1. Roll Call.
2. Reading of Minutes.
3. Receiving new Members.
4. President's Address.
5. Report of Committees.
6. Unfinished Business.
7. New Business.
8. Elections.
9. Adjournment.

June 1, 1893, submitted by committee,

MRS. W. S. MILLER.

MRS. S. D. WARMCASTLE.

June 2, 1893, approved by Alumnae.

IN MEMORIAM

We mourn the loss of a member of Class '96, Miss Ruth Irons Henrici, who passed away December last. Ruth was a girl beloved by all her associates, teachers and collegemates, for her cheerful, happy disposition and her helpfulness in all things with which she was connected.

She was a talented musician, having received a gold medal for piano at the college, and was President of the Alumnae Association for the year '98-'99.

Marriages

Jeannette Barbour, '93, to Mr. Dunham Barton, July 23, 1900.

Eleanor Baldwin, '94, to Mr. J. Haywood Harlow, August 9, 1900.

Nettie Hays, '92, to Mr. Charles Flack, August 13, 1900.

Florence Parry, '99, to Mr. Frank Sidney Carmack, October 4, 1900.

Ida McCandless, '98, to Mr. Stephen Stone, March 20, 1901.

Births

Mrs. Charles McKnight has five "items of interest" to offer, viz., Rachel, Charles, Robert, Eleanor and Francis McKnight.

Mrs. David Leland Wright (Maude Aiken), '86, a daughter, January 18, 1901.

College Song

Tune—Auld Lang Syne.

Our Alma Mater sits enthroned
Above the hurrying town;
The changeful years have never dimmed
The glory of her crown.
She keeps the white without a stain,
The purple queenly still,
While countless hearts look up to her—
The College on the Hill.

A constant throng with backward gaze
Pass out the well-known door;
The world lets some return again,
But many nevermore.
Yet though the path winds far from her,
Their feet can never stray;
Their Alma Mater guides them still,
A thousand miles away.

Each year new voices swell her praise,
Some well-loved face is gone;
Death calls us to him one by one,
But still the song goes on.
As long as Pennsylvania keeps
Her watch-fire burning bright,
Shall Pennsylvania's daughters sing
The purple and the white.

Colloquium Club

The record of the year's work of the College would be incomplete without some mention of the Colloquium, which, though it counts many besides Alumnae, still remains a college club.

The study of French history, begun in January of 1900, was continued through the year, the papers of the last few meetings being devoted to accounts of interesting places in and around Paris, and her prominent institutions. Although the year spent on French history was a delightful one, and one which gave all of us a better appreciation and a clearer understanding of the place France occupies in the history of the world's progress, still one and all agree that we are ready for a change. At the beginning of the year the vote of the club was taken for our next subject, and it was unanimously agreed that of all countries, Russia was the one of which we had heard most and knew least. Therefore, Russia was the topic decided upon, and the program committee certainly are to be congratulated upon the feast they have prepared for our semi-monthly literary banquets, even though some of the subjects have a strange and foreign flavor.

If at the alumnae meetings you hear anyone discoursing upon "icons," "Dastogafsky," "penal servitude" or the "Anti-Semetic" movement, you may say at once, "A member of Colloquium; her speech betrayeth her."

A delightful lecture on Tolstoi was given at the College under the auspices of the club, by Mrs. J. M. Hyde, of Oil City. Altogether, the Colloquium, at the end of its third year, can declare itself a success, and the desire of all its members is: "May it live long and prosper."

Decade Club

The members of the Decade club have thoroughly enjoyed themselves the past year, and if the old saying, "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy" be true, they have brightened their wits accordingly, as "All play and no work" has been their motto.

Although the meetings were not begun this year until December, nevertheless many enjoyable afternoons have been whiled away by various amusements.

There was a business meeting in November to organize and elect officers, and the first regular meeting was at Mrs. Barton's in Allegheny. Mrs. Walter Mellor entertained the club in January, assisted by Miss Matilda Milligan. In February we were entertained by Mrs. Charles Porter, assisted by her class. The

March meeting was held at Miss Robinson's in Allegheny. The hostess was assisted by Miss Davidson.

The Class of '99 entertained in April at the home of Miss Schellenberg.

Miss Nina Ellis, assisted by her classmates, entertained very enjoyably in May.

The last meeting was spoken for by Mrs. Stephen Stone, to be held in June.

Girls, let us begin early next year! Can we not have the club started in September and have that many more charming parties? The attendance is always very good. The club has a membership of thirty-eight, and there are very few who fail to come to our meetings.

Personals

Miss Lafie C. Reid, '75, spent a day in February with Miss Jane Wightman, '76.

During the past winter, Miss Georgina Negley enjoyed a delightful trip south. Such popular winter resorts as Palm Beach, Miami, etc., were visited. A short stay at Asheville and other attractive places made a most enjoyable journey.

Mrs. Ernest Acheson, '74, accompanied her husband and a party of Congressmen to Florida this past winter. They were the guests of Mr. Flagler, and were most royally entertained wherever they stopped.

It will be interesting to members of '74 to hear of the marriage of Miss Mary Irwin Paull, daughter of Mrs. Alfred Paull, of Wheeling, W. Va., to Mr. Arthur Hubbard, on April 30th. Mrs. Paul was Lee Singleton.

Miss Mary Breed, who has been for the past three years in Bryn Mawr, takes her degree of Ph. D. this June.

All friends of Miss De Vore will be glad to learn of her return to her native country. She remained abroad longer than she had anticipated, on account of the illness of Miss Fisher, who accompanied her.

Miss Sarah Hillman, '97, has been pursuing her studies at Bannard this past year.

Mrs. H. Miller Robertson, '86, has moved from Detroit, Mich., to Riverside, Cal.

The engagement of Miss Elizabeth Davidson, '96, to Mr. Topley, of Canada, has been announced.

The engagement of Miss Emma Snyder, 1900, to Mr. Everett Jones, has been announced.

It is pleasant to find how many of our Alumnae are making the best possible use of their education. Very few of the girls are leading other than useful lives, and we are sure this is one of

the best ways to show our appreciation of the training received of our Alma Mater.

We wish to express to Miss Mae Kreps, '94, our heartfelt sympathy at the death of her father, March 30. Many of us have experienced such a loss as hers, and we feel that our sorrow should draw us closer one to another.

Miss Elizabeth Riggs, '89, has been for some time a very efficient instructor in the South Side High School of this city.

We hear that Miss Nancy Acheson, who has been since her graduation in '97, studying at Barnard, is now teaching in Connecticut.

Miss Alice Thomas, 1900, and Miss Elizabeth McCague, were among the bridesmaids at the McCandless-Stone nuptials.

Florence C. Aull, '94, has announced her engagement to Dr. Steward Gacock.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Sarah Bryant, '94, to Mr. William Stevenson.

Class of 1901

Colors,

Gold and White.

Flower,

Daisy.

Honorary Members: Mrs. William Walker and Mr. H. J. Heinz.

Class Officers: Mary Bruce, president; Carrie E. Kim, vice president; Helen M. Sands, secretary, and Maud Taylor, treasurer.

ESSAY SUBJECTS.

"D. G. Rosetti—His Poems in Relation to His Views of Art."—Mary Bruce.

"Robert Browning as a Transcendental Idealist."—Maud Taylor.

"Matthew Arnold—His Philosophy and His Relation to the Thought of His Time."—Rosetta Moore.

"Alfred Tennyson—The Scientific Element in the Poems of Tennyson and His Ideas of Human Progress."—Carrie Kim.

"John Ruskin—His Relation to the Movement of Thought."—Helen Sands.

Alumnæ Register

OFFICERS—1900-1901.

President	-	-	-	Miss Lydia K. Murdoch.
Vice President	-	-	-	Miss Sara Bryant
Secretary	-	-	-	Miss Marguerite W. Bonnett
Treasurer	-	-	-	Miss Eva M. Bard.

Honorary Members

Be Vier, Miss Isabel, Plymouth, Ohio.
 Brownlee, Miss Janet C., Pennsylvania College for Women.
 DeVore, Miss R. Jane.
 Hamilton, Miss Anna M., Pennsylvania College for Women.
 Jewett, Miss Emma, Pennsylvania College for Women.
 Means, Miss Ellen G.
 Pelletreau, Miss Helen E., 4 First Place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Pike, Miss M. J., 300 Ophelia street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Graduate Members

Abbott, Mrs. William S., Morewood avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '75.
 Acheson (Mrs. Ernest), 105 East Maiden street, Washington, Pa., '74.
 Acheson, Miss Nancy S., care Mr. Z. D. Speer, Dallas avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '98.
 Aiken, Miss Rachel C., Amberson avenue, Pittsburg, Pa., '83.
 Alger, Mrs. Edwin, West Richfield, Ohio, '80.
 Anderson, Miss M. Grace, Shady avenue, Pittsburg, Pa., '94.
 Armstrong, Mrs. R. G., Leechburg, Pa., '88.
 Aschman, Mrs. Gustave A., McClure House, Wheeling, West Va., '75.
 Aull, Miss Florence, 4259 Fifth avenue, Pittsburg, Pa., '94.
 Bard, Miss E. M., 217 N. Craig street, Pittsburg, Pa., '94.
 Barker, Mrs. William P., Greenfield avenue, Pittsburg, Pa., '92.
 Barker, Miss Annie F., New Brighton, Pa., '98.
 Barnes, Miss Elizabeth S., Neville street, Pittsburg, Pa., '93.
 Barrett, Mrs. Henry A., New Brighton, Pa., '78.
 Barton, Mrs. Dunham, 984 Beech street, Allegheny, Pa., '93.
 Beer, Miss Dorcas G., Southern avenue, Bucyrus, Ohio, '88.
 Beringer, Miss Aimee S., Sewickley, Pa., '98.
 Biggs, Miss Margaret, Craig street, Pittsburg, Pa., '95.
 Black, Miss Elizabeth R., East Bowman street, Wooster, Ohio, '73.
 Bowden, Miss Margaret, Sharon, Pa., '78.
 Bowser, Mrs., Mercer, Pa., '78.
 Breed, Miss Mary B., 5317 Westminister Place, Pittsburgh, Pa., '89.
 Brown, Miss Helen T., 169 Marion avenue, Mansfield, Ohio, '90.
 Brown, Mrs. E. P., 1902 F. street, Lincoln, Neb., '89.
 Brown, Mrs. Henry, 423 West 4th street, Cincinnati, Ohio, '74.
 Brown, Mrs. James E., 310 S. Highland avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '91.

- Bruce, Miss Mary, 1600 Buena Vista street, Allegheny, Pa., '01.
 Bryant, Miss Sara, Bluff street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '94.
 Burgher, Miss Jennie, 906 Penn avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '82.
 Calder, Mrs. J. R., 1861 Parkwood avenue, Toledo, Ohio, '78.
 Callery, Mrs. C. D., Hotel Schenley, Pittsburgh, Pa., '88.
 Carmack, Mrs. F. S., 524 Rebecca street, Wilkensburg, Pa.
 Carnahan, Miss Katharine C., 530 N. Negley avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '87.
 Chislett, Mrs. Richard E., 5131 Ellsworth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '73.
 Christy, Miss Mary H., Carnegie, Pa., '97.
 Clark, Miss Jane B., 1409 Chartiers street, Allegheny, Pa., '81.
 Clark, Miss Nannie, 1409 Chartiers street, Allegheny, Pa., '84.
 Clark, Mrs. J. B., 4 First Place, Brooklyn, N. Y., '86.
 Clendennin, Mrs. Clarence, New Castle, Pa., '78.
 Coyle, Mrs. William S., 149 Dithridge street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '81.
 Davidson, Miss Alice R., 704 North avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '98.
 Davidson, Miss Elizabeth B., 704 North avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '96.
 Davis, Mrs. A. V., Hotel Schenley, Pittsburgh, Pa., '75.
 Davis, Miss Joanna K., 5103 Atlantic avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '74.
 Decker, Mrs. Omar S., 711 Lilac street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '77.
 DeVore, Miss Jennie, Georgetown, Ohio, '99.
 Donaldson, Mrs. D. V., Hagerman Block, Colorado Springs, Col., '77.
 Easton, Miss Margaret, Roup street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '91.
 Ebbert, Mrs. Henry, 6706 Penn avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '76.
 Edeburn, Miss Edith S., 5912 Rural avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '96.
 Eggers, Miss Carrie E., 541 East Ohio street, Allegheny, Pa., '97.
 Elliott, Mrs. Robert, 2102 Sidney street, South Side, Pittsburgh, Pa., '84.
 Ellis, Miss Nina M., 6339 Marchand street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '00.
 English, Miss Mary E., Mahonington, Pa., '89.
 Fergus, Miss Emma, Elizabeth, Pa., '95.
 Ferguson, Miss Reta F., Fifth and Shady avenues, Pittsburgh, Pa., '87.
 Fischer, Miss Olivia, Oil City, Pa., '89.
 Frazier, Mrs., McKeesport, Pa., '78.
 Garden, Mrs. David, New Brighton, Pa., '82.
 Grayson, Miss Anna M., Elysian avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '76.
 Green, Mrs. F. W., 1170 North Edward street, Decatur, Ill., '75.
 Gregg, Mrs. Thomas J., Occidental Hotel, Hueneme, Cal., '73.
 Hain, Mrs. Charles, 1419 Broadway, Kansas City, Mo., '75.
 Haines, Mrs. C. S., 212 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, Mass., '83.
 Harden, Mrs. C. P., La Belle avenue, Steubenville, Ohio, '83.
 Harlow, Mrs. Haywood, Edgewood Park, Pa., '94.
 Harman, Mrs. T. D., 6223 Marchand street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '81.
 Hay, Mrs. J. Walter, 938 West North avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '85.
 Hays, Mrs. James E., The Marie Antoinette, N. Y., '87.
 Hays, Mrs. M. Eva, Hotetl Schenley, Pittsburgh, Pa., '78.
 Hemenway, Mrs. M. S., Butler, Pa., '85.
 Hill, Mrs. James S., Latrobe, Pa., '92.
 Hillman, Miss Elizabeth, Shady avenue near, Fifth, Pittsburgh, Pa., '90.

- Hillman, Miss Sara F., Shady avenue near Fifth, Pittsburgh, Pa., '97.
- Holmes, Mrs. Abram G., 3803 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '84.
- Hood, Miss Grace W., 702 North avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '97.
- Hughes, Miss Ella, Keokuk, Iowa, '75.
- Huselton, Mrs. W. S., Fifth avenue near Morewood, Pittsburgh, Pa., '74.
- Imhoff, Mrs. Wallace, 6805 Penn avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '81.
- Irwin, Mrs. E. S., 69 Vienna street, Cleveland, Ohio, '77.
- Jackson, Miss Jennie M., Mercer, Pa., '83.
- Jenkins, Mrs. B. A., 1002 Oak street, Knoxville, Tenn., '81.
- Jenks, Miss Carrie, Brookville, Pa., '75.
- Jenks, Miss Sarah J., Brookville, Pa., '76.
- Jones, Mrs. George P., Finley, Ohio, '86.
- Joy, Mrs. A. K., Leader Office, Pittsburgh, Pa., '78.
- Kearns, Miss Annie D., 149 Dithridge street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '94.
- Kelly, Miss Lyra F., St. Clair and Margaretta streets, Pittsburgh, Pa., '99.
- Kennedy, Mrs. Robert, Uniontown, Pa., '81.
- Kerr, Mrs. Charles H., 242 Dithridge street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '96.
- Kerr, Mrs. John H., San Rafael, Cal., '77.
- Kim, Miss Carrie E., 3925 Forbes street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '01.
- King, Miss E. B., 827 Bidwell street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '77.
- Kirke, Mrs. Howard, New Castle, Pa., '94.
- Krepps, Miss L. May, 920 Bellefonte street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '94.
- Kurtz, Miss Emily, New Castle, Pa., '78.
- Leslie, Mrs. S. S., 5434 Walnut street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '86.
- McCague, Miss Elizabeth W., 409 Morewood avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '98.
- McCance, Miss Jennie, Penn and Dallas avenues, Pittsburgh, Pa., '90.
- McCarty, Miss Harriet D., 204 Dithridge street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '97.
- McClelland, Mrs. J. H., Fifth and Wilkins avenues, Pittsburgh, Pa., '77.
- McClure, Mrs. Julius, 695 Jenesee avenue, Cleveland, Ohio, '82.
- McConnell, Miss Belle, 718 Thomas street, care Mr. McElroy, Pittsburgh, Pa., '80.
- MacConnell, Miss Lulu G., 702 North avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '94.
- McCreery, Miss Elizabeth A., 702 North avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '87.
- McCullough, Miss Rachel, Oakmont, Pa., '75.
- McCune, Mrs. John R., Fifth and College avenues, Pittsburgh, Pa., '87.
- Mackey, Miss Mary E., 114 Meridan street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '97.
- McKnight, Mrs. Charles, Sewickley, Pa., '80.
- McLain, Mrs. William J. E., Claysville, Pa., '83.
- Mahood, Miss Martha W., Princeton Place, Pittsburgh, Pa., '00.
- Marks, Mrs. S. F., Tideoute, Pa., '81.
- Marshall, Mrs. Robert P., Kittanning, Pa., '78.
- Martin, Mrs. Wilmer G., 407 East End avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '92.
- Martin, Mrs. F. R., Varna, Ill., '77.
- Mason, Mrs. H. S., 704 North Highland avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '88.

- Mason, Mrs. C. D., "Hillcrest," Ashland, Ohio, '77.
 Mather, Mrs. C. B., Toledo, Ohio, '87.
 Maxwell, Miss Hannah W., 807 Lilac street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '92.
 Mayer, Mrs. Joseph, New Brighton, Pa., '74.
 Mellor, Mrs. Walter, Edgewood Park, Pa., '95.
 Meloy, Miss Anne, West Newton, Pa., '96.
 Meloy, Miss Luella P., West Newton, Pa., '84.
 Merriman, Mrs. Lallah, Kenton, Ohio, '76.
 Milholland, Miss S. A., 5607 Walnut street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '92.
 Miller, Mrs. W. S., 4741 Bayard street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '77.
 Miller, Mrs. H. J., Kenton, Ohio, '76.
 Milligan, Miss Matilda C., Swissvale, Pa., '97.
 Milliken, Mrs. John, P. O. 381, Hartford, Conn., '88.
 Modisette, Mrs. James, 5438 Page Boulevard, St. Louis, Mo., '87.
 Moore, Miss Rosetta A., 644 South Negley avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '01.
 Murdoch, Miss Lydia K., 3905 Forbes street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '94.
 Negley, Miss G., 305 North Negley avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '82.
 Ogden, Mrs. Denna, Greensburg, Pa., '83.
 O'Neil, Mrs. John, 368 Grace street, Johnstown, Ohio, '90.
 Ormond, Miss Mary G., 1861 Parkwood avenue, Toledo, Ohio, '81.
 Pardee, Mrs. John M., 502 Collins avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '79.
 Patton, Mrs. Helen, Brownsville, Pa., '90.
 Paull, Mrs. Alfred, 727 Main street, Wheeling, W. Va., '74.
 Peak, Mrs. E. H., 222 Winona avenue, Germantown, Pa., '76.
 Pickersgill, Miss Lilly V., 1011 Western avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '91.
 Pierce, Mrs. W. L., Western avenue and Fulton street, Allegheny, Pa., '77.
 Porter, Mrs. Edwin L., 3333 Forbes street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '82.
 Porter, Mrs. Charles R., 2 Bartlett street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '94.
 Post, Mrs. William, 217 East End avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '88.
 Reid, Miss Lapie C., Mt. Pleasant, Ohio, '75.
 Renshaw, Rebecca F., 4740 Bayard street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '74.
 Robey, Mrs. D. T., Kenton, Ohio, '76.
 Robinson, Miss Annie M., 915 Union avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '96.
 Robinson, Miss Elizabeth, Parker, Pa., '90.
 Richmond, Mrs. H. Morris, Meadville, Pa., '77.
 Robertson, Mrs. H. M., 1146 Russell street, Detroit, Mich., '86.
 Riddle, Miss Susanna, 820 Ridge avenue, Allegheny, Pa., '94.
 Riggs, Miss Elizabeth C., 5908 Rural avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '89.
 Sands, Miss Helen M., 4309 Lawrence street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '01.
 Sayre, Mrs. Richard S., Middletown, N. Y., '78.
 Schellenberg, Miss Emilie M., 5746 Howe street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '99.
 Schoyer, Mrs. Samuel, Schenley Hotel, Pittsburgh, Pa., '73.
 Senft, Mrs. eGorge, Ligonier, Pa., '76.
 Sellers, Miss Minnie, 6216 Howe street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '73.
 Sherwood, Mrs. William, 3146 Lake Park avenue, Chicago, Ill., '82.
 Smith, Miss E. H., Hartford City, Ind., '00.
 Snyder, Miss Emma H., 809 Maryland avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '00.
 Speer, Miss Mary, 6742 Thomas street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '95.
 Spencer, Mrs. Charles, Amberson avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '83.
 Sterrett, Miss Annie B., 3800 Walnut street, Philadelphia, Pa., '74.
 Sterrett, Miss Emma, 3800 Walnut street, Philadelphia, Pa., '75.
 Stevenson, Miss Eleanor J., 3501 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '86.

- Stewart, Mrs. David, Stewart, Pa., '91.
 Stewart, Mrs. Eliza, Sewickley, Pa., '74.
 Stillwell, Mrs. S. B., care Mr. L. B. Stillwell, Park Row Building,
 N. Y., '84.
 Stockton, Miss Alice, Brookfield, Ohio, '88.
 Stockton, Miss Edith, Brookfield, Ohio, '97.
 Thomas, Miss Alice K., 77 13th street, South Side, Pittsburgh,
 Pa., '00.
 Tallmadge, Mrs. Frank, 1570 East Long street, Columbus, Ohio,
 '77.
 Tasse, Mrs. John C., Sherman, Texas, '79.
 Taylor, Mrs. Charles L., 5533 Ellsworth avenue, Pittsburgh,
 Pa., '77.
 Taylor, Miss Maud, 7628 Kelly street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '01.
 Trimble, Mrs. Maurice, 22 Rebecca street, Allegheny, Pa., '92.
 Trimble, Mrs. A. H., 103 Euclid avenue, Bellevue, Pa., '82.
 Vincent, Mrs. William H., Detroit, Mich., '75.
 Voight, Mrs. L. L., 6015 Hoeveler street, Pittsburgh, Pa., '94.
 *Wallace, Miss Jennie B., Sewickley, Pa., '75.
 Wallace, Miss Elizabeth, Fifth avenue and Craig street, Pitts-
 burgh, Pa., '89.
 Wallace, Mrs. Chester, 112 N. Mill street, New Castle, Pa., '89.
 Warmcastle, Mrs. S. C., N. Highland above Stanton, Pittsburgh,
 Pa., '77.
 Wells, Mrs. A. R., Wellsville, Ohio, '75.
 Wells, Miss Alice M., 603 Shady avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., '86.
 Welch, Miss Ida, Cadiz, Ohio, '77.
 Wightman, Miss A. J., Forbes and Wightman streets, Pittsburgh,
 Pa., '76.
 Willock, Miss Lillian, Beaver street, Sewickley, Pa., '75.
 Wood, Mrs. Alan, Forbes and Meyran avenues, Pittsburgh, Pa.,
 '76.
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President's Address.

First of all, I wish to express my appreciation of the honor conferred upon me in being elected to this position, an honor beneath whose weight I am at times completely bowed, while at others, the height of my exalted position fairly makes me dizzy. To be chosen to represent and preside over an association of almost two hundred College graduates, is indeed no light matter, and I longed for some inspiration to fit me for its duties; but none came, only the thought recurring again and again of how little I had done for the College, and how much the College had done for me.

A confession should be made here. An excellent suggestion was offered early last fall, which, owing to a pressure of other duties, was neglected, and I fear you are all the losers thereby. But I will pass it on to those next to wield the sceptre. It is that the President call together her committees and the RECORDER

editors early in the fall and organize and apportion the work that it may go on all winter, and not have to be done in the last few days preceding our meeting, as is so often the case. Surely there would be more news in the RECORDER, then, at least. Did any of you notice how few personals there were in the paper last year, and have a certain guilty feeling as you read them that *you* could not complain, as you had ignored the plea of the long-suffering editors yourself?

In looking over the old RECORDERS treasured up at home—I have accumulated a good many since I graduated—one noticeable thing was the number of excellent suggestions offered by the Presidents for the various years, suggestions which tended to the perfecting of our organization, and advancement of our College in many ways, but which had not been carried out. Some were exceptions, of course. The Decade Club was the outgrowth of one address, and may it live long and prosper! Many, however, had their butterfly existence of a day, and were forgotten; not that the plans were not approved, but each waited for the other to take the lead, and so the good was lost. One suggestion was that each class appoint one of its number to keep account of the addresses and doings of the members, and report to the editors each year. Surely none would object to that duty.

From the history of the Association, at least for the last decade, it seems as though its members lie dormant every fifth year. In the President's address in '92, the comatose condition of the Alumnae is referred to, and again in '97, while our memories will convince us that we have not accomplished much as a body in 1902. But we can take comfort that after the former fallow years came a season of renewed effort and achievement, and hope that history will repeat itself.

Our Association has done nothing to be regretted during its existence—indeed, can point to several achievements with pride—but are we going to rest on our laurels now, and acknowledge having outlived our usefulness? How will the new members coming in every year ever feel that they are one with us if not bound by some common interest more than just our annual meeting? Were not our reunions, too, fraught with more interest

when we had been working together through the year for the scholarship, and each one felt a personal pride when the treasurer's report of that committee was read?

Coming back to revisit on Alumnae day makes one realize the changes that Time brings. There are alterations and improvements to be noted every year. Ten years ago what did we know of the Senior parlor, or Murray Hill entrance, or the Gymnasium? If the Alumnae do not help with these improvements, they will soon feel like strangers in a strange land, or Rip Van Winkle revisiting his old haunts. It seems as though the College could get along better without us, than we without the College. Inaction means death, but if we undertake some improvement here ourselves, we will become part and parcel with its growth, and awake to a larger life through our enlarged interests. Instead of holding back, let us fall in line in the march of Progress, nay, lead it on to further achievements, and in helping others, receive the greater blessing ourselves.

SARAH BRYANT STEVENSON.

The Year at the College.

The year 1901-1902 at the College has been "A good one to live in, a poor one to write about." We have had nothing extraordinary to insert in our annals. We have suffered no calamity of severe illness or fire or serious misconduct; and no one has given us a million dollars. Trustees, Faculty, and students—the "three parts" into which a college, like "all Gaul," must be divided—have gone on their way, doing their work about as usual, except that they have tried to do it a little better than ever before. Still, even in such an uneventful year, there are several matters which it may interest the Alumnae to hear about.

First, the Trustees. The Alumnae will be sorry to learn that, owing to advancing age, the Rev. Dr. W. J. Reid, so long the

faithful and efficient President of the Board of Trustees, has felt constrained to resign his office, though he still continues a member of the Board. As his successor the Board has chosen the Rev. William L. McEwan, D.D., pastor of the Third Presbyterian Church, whose wisdom and efficiency have been so well approved to the people of Pittsburgh, not only by his success as pastor of this important church, but also in the service he has rendered as a Director of the Western Theological Seminary and as a member of other important ecclesiastical committees. All friends of the College will bespeak for him a long and successful term of service.

The Board of Trustees has taken steps during the past year for the revision—this is a revision year—of their charter and by-laws. It would not be proper here to go into detail as to the changes intended, especially as these have not yet been authorized by the courts, but it will suffice to say that the principal modifications lie in the direction of reducing the number of Trustees, and bringing the Faculty, through its President, into closer and more effective touch with the Board. Another item of interest in connection with the Trustees is the election to membership of another lady, Mrs. E. H. Nevin, whose interest in the College and generosity toward it is so well known.

2. The Faculty. Two members of the Faculty, Miss Jewett and Miss Hamilton, have been absent on leave this year for foreign travel and study. They have spent their time for the most part in Italy, making extensive sojourns in Naples and Rome, and taking a tour through Sicily, but they have also visited Greece and Egypt. They have made it a tour of serious study in museums, libraries, and art galleries, and all with reference to their work in the College. Frequent letters have come from them to various members of the Faculty, and always they have spoken most warmly of the College and anticipated with pleasure return to it to share in its work. In their absence their places have been most acceptably filled by Mrs. Kate S. Hines and Miss Laura C. Green, who have not only proved themselves admirable teachers, but have endeared themselves to their colleagues in the Faculty and to the students alike. Miss Green

will continue to be of our number, having been elected to fill the place made vacant for next year by the resignation of Miss King. Miss Green, like Miss Hamilton, is a graduate of Wellesley, and before coming to us was engaged in teaching Latin in the high school at Rockford, Ill.

Early in the year Miss Beatey, who a year previously had succeeded her friend, Miss Draper (now Mrs. George Parker), as teacher of Physical Culture and Elocution, was called to her home in Boston by the sudden death of her mother, and was unable to return. Her place in the gymnasium was most efficiently filled temporarily by Miss Emma Halsey Snyder, '00, (now Mrs. Everett Jones), until a permanent incumbent for it had been secured in Miss Elizabeth Kratz, a daughter of Prof. George W. Kratz, principal of the Franklin School, of this city. Miss Kratz is a graduate of the Emerson School of Oratory, Boston. She assumed her duties here March 1st.

Another new name on the roster of the Faculty is that of Miss Garnett E. Fulton, who has had entire charge of the newly established Grammar Grade. Miss Fulton is a graduate of the now disbanded Pittsburgh Female College, and at the time of her election was a valued member of the teaching staff of the Pittsburgh Academy. She has proved herself most efficient and acceptable in every way. For a few months at the end of the year we have also had help in the Preparatory School from Miss Mabel Stevenson (Smith, '00), recently secretary of the Pittsburgh Branch of the Association of Collegiate Alumnae.

One other change which the year has brought is the resignation of Miss M. F. Gold as Matron in order that she might avail herself of an opportunity to travel in Europe. Her place has been taken by Mrs. S. A. Umstat, recently in charge of one of the dormitories for young women at Park College, Missouri.

3. The Students. The attendance at the College this year has been somewhat less than last year, the total number of students enrolled having been 249 as against 255 last year. As has been the case for some years, this total includes a number of girls who belong to the second generation of P. C. W. students, their

mothers having been in attendance here in days past. In general, the temper of the students through the year has been excellent. There has been but little trifling and much honest effort.

Our Senior class this year numbers thirteen, the largest graduating class since 1894, when there were also thirteen graduates. Every good mother thinks the newest baby just the sweetest of the lot, and every well regulated college is likely to regard its graduating class for the current year as "the finest ever;" but without entering upon any disquieting comparisons, we certainly have reason to congratulate ourselves upon the Class of 1902, and to anticipate that they will do us credit in the future. Indeed, one of them, Miss Anna Dawson Montgomery, has already done so by capturing a scholarship in Philosophy for the coming year at Cornell University. When it is remembered that Cornell exercises unusual care in the selection of those who are to enjoy these graduate scholarships, and usually refuses to bestow them upon students who have not won their Masters' degree, and that out of nine appointees for next year Miss Montgomery is the only woman, the really notable character of her success will be the more manifest. Next to Miss Montgomery, it is to be presumed, the person most pleased over this honor is Dr. Muir, herself a Ph. D. of Cornell; but the President is a close third, for he recalls the instances in recent months when prospective students have asked, "Well, if we should graduate at the Pennsylvania College for Women, would we be able to enter the Senior Class at * * * * *," naming one of the big Eastern colleges, and he replied, "Not at all! If you graduate at the Pennsylvania College for Women, you can go to * * * * and do *graduate work*." To have this claim so promptly and beautifully substantiated makes him smile whenever he thinks of the matter!

4. The Course of Study. What has just been suggested as to the parity of our curriculum with the curricula of the larger colleges may serve as introduction to a few words with regard to the new course of study, which was worked out last year, but was put into effect at the beginning of this year. So far as the Preparatory School is concerned, the changes instituted consisted fundamentally in the lengthening of the course from

four years to five. The additional year, however, was added, not at the end but at the beginning of the course. Experience has shown us that there are a large number of girls who wish to enter our Preparatory School at the close of their seventh year in the public schools, before they have taken what is known as "the High School year." Such girls, however, are not ready for proper college preparatory work. They are not sufficiently masters of Arithmetic to warrant their beginning Algebra, nor of English Grammar to fit them to begin either Rhetoric or Latin. To meet the case of such girls and others like them who may come from private schools, we instituted this preliminary year, which we call "the Grammar Grade," in which all grammar school studies are completed. This grade, as noted above, is under the exclusive charge of Miss Fulton. This arrangement enables us to give four full years to the work of college preparation proper, and thus to adjust our course to our own advanced requirements for entrance to the college course, which are now in practical conformity with those laid down by the Board of Uniform Entrance Requirements for the Colleges of the Middle States and Maryland. We can now give a more complete course, and make it more thorough, than was possible when part of a four years' course had to be devoted to grammar school work.

The changes in the college curriculum were much more extensive, and amounted to an entire recasting of the scheme of studies. In making changes the principal objects in view were, first, to substitute one course, embracing considerable range of choice in elective work, and leading to the A. B. degree, for two courses having a more narrowly prescribed character and leading to the degrees of A. B. and B. L. respectively. (As a matter of fact, the degree of B. L. will not be regularly conferred after this year); second, to reduce the number of hours required of the student or permitted her to take; third, to arrange the prescribed and elective studies so as to give the student as she advanced in her course a constantly widening liberty of choice. The general line of procedure followed in seeking these ends was to adopt as nearly as possible the average curriculum of the best institutions, whether for men or women, not forgetting the distinction to be

observed between *colleges*, laying stress mainly on work requisite for the bachelor's degree, and *universities* properly so called, in which large provision is made for graduate work. With this distinction in mind a careful comparison was made of the curricula of twenty-one representative colleges, and a course of study formulated which embodied the average curriculum, with a few modifications such as seemed to be demanded by our special circumstances. It was found that such an average curriculum would require as the condition of the first degree in the arts the successful completion of a course of study amounting to sixty-year hours, *i. e.* an average of fifteen class periods per week through each of the four years of the college course, and that the best practice allotted these hours evenly between these several years. We felt constrained to add one hour to this requirement in the Freshman year, but this arrangement is temporary and will be abandoned as soon as circumstances permit. As the curriculum formerly in force required a minimum of sixteen hours for each year of the course and permitted a maximum of eighteen, it will be seen that there is much less opportunity than heretofore for a student to load herself down with a number of hours so great as to make it impossible for her to do justice to all the subjects undertaken. As to the third point, the increasing liberty of elective choice, we have made the Freshmen year to consist wholly of prescribed work, but have given in the Sophomore year two hours of elective work, in the Junior year nine and a half (an hour per week through a semester counts as half a year hour), and in the Senior year twelve and a half. In this again we have felt compelled to make a temporary provision in connection with the Sophomore year, in which, along with nine hours of prescribed work in English, Science, History, and Bible, we have required four hours of language (French, or German, or Greek), leaving, as noted above, but two hours out of the total of fifteen to elective studies. As soon as possible—as soon, that is, as we can secure it, that students shall present for entrance, besides four years' work in Latin and three years' work in some second language, one year's work in a third—these four hours of prescribed work in language in the Sophomore year will be made

entirely elective, thus increasing the elective hours for that year to six. As this is being written copies of our current catalogue are being mailed to every alumnae whose address is known. A brief view of the curriculum as now in force will be found on pages 22-24. With a collegiate faculty numbering but ten and a body of collegiate students amounting to only fifty, we cannot, of course, offer the wide variety of courses possible with a faculty of fifty and a student body rising into the hundreds, but we may, and our claim is that we do, offer a well-balanced curriculum fully equivalent to that required in the biggest institution as the condition of the bachelor's degree, and we may, and we claim that we do, handle the subjects embraced in this curriculum in a way that makes any course we give fairly equivalent to the course in the same subject as given anywhere else; and if the alumnae who read these words will make these claims for their *Alma Mater* to those who may be interested, the President and Faculty will undertake to see that they are made good.

There are one or two other matters, particularly the reorganization of the library, which it would be pleasant to speak of, but this article has already gone beyond bounds in the matter of length. With regard to these we must content ourselves with the invitation given so long ago by Philip to Nathaniel, "Come and see!" And this invitation is given in all earnestness. The Alumnae are always welcome to the College, but it will be particularly gratifying to the Faculty if they will come in term time and bring their friends with them, that they may see not merely the grounds and buildings, of which we are so justly proud, but what is really more important, the actual work of the institution as it is being carried on every day in class room and laboratory.

DR. CHALMERS MARTIN.

The Pleasures of House-Cleaning.

When your persuasive little postal arrived asking me to write something for the RECORDER, I was in the throes of house-cleaning, and looked and felt much more domestic than literary. I hardly knew whether I had a pen or not, and the whole force of my being was concentrated on the beating of rugs, washing of curtains, and polishing of furniture. It seemed impossible to think of anything else. But then it suddenly occurred to me why *should* I wrest my thoughts away from the matter in hand? Why not write down just what I was experiencing at that moment? Why not describe a few of the *pleasures* of house-cleaning? We have certainly heard enough of its horrors—of its cheerless meals, its carpetless floors, its conjugal infelicities. If there are any two subjects in the whole range of literature that are distinctly in need of a rest, fit subjects for a literary sanitarium, they are the Sins of the Mother-in-law and the Pains of House-cleaning. Why not celebrate just for once the virtues of the one and the delights of the other? Even a mother-in-law must have some redeeming qualities—some little virtues to keep her vicious—and I was prepared to maintain, against any other equally inexperienced housekeeper, that this fearful crisis through which we pass each spring and fall has its own peculiar rewards, its own peculiar pleasures.

There is in the first place, a *moral* pleasure in the energetic use of our faculties, mental and physical. It is good for us to work willingly *with our hands*. The curse of labor has many blessings attached,—a good digestion, a freedom from morbid fancies (“which do always much more easily invade, than forsake one”), the joy of overcoming difficulties, the sweet sleep that comes from physical fatigue. There is, too, the very keen pleasure of doing our best, of using our wits, as well as our muscles, our highest, as well as our lowest energies.

House-cleaning need not be a degrading employment. It is

a business that "must be carried on, and safely may." There is no need to imitate the man with the muck-rake, and to keep our eyes obstinately fastened on the ground, stupidly refusing to see the beauty that lies all about us. Here is a field for the display of all our talents. Not one is superfluous. Take for example the analytical faculty. The same keenness of observation, the same clearness of vision, which helps you to analyze and to enjoy a piece of music, a beautiful picture, or any other work of art, will help you just as much in the arrangement of a room. No ordinary servant can put a room in order as a lady can. She does not see differences or resemblances. She has no principle of classification; and if, by any chance, she puts things in their places, it is only because she has seen them there before, and not from any instinctive feeling of appropriateness.

But, besides the moral pleasure of doing our best and using all our powers of mind and body, there is the purely aesthetic pleasure of making things clean and beautiful. Dirt and disorder are hideous, unendurable. It is natural that we should wish to

"Make the house where we shall dwell
Beautiful, entire, and clean."

And most of all in the spring-time, when we see freshness and beauty outside, do we pine for freshness and beauty within. Out of doors there is the casting off of winter clothing, the waking up from inaction, the revivifying of every tiniest leaf and flower. It is only natural that we poor mortals, in our own blundering, ineffectual way, should follow nature's lead, and do our best to put ourselves in tune with our environment.

Do you know the origin of house-cleaning? Once upon a time there was an aboriginal lover and a pre-historic loveress, and they lived in a cave on the mountain side. And one day, when the south wind blew, and the sunshine coaxed into bloom the first shy flowers, and the trees began to array themselves in fresh, green leaves, the loveress realized for the first time that their cave was after all only a dark and ugly hole in the ground. And forthwith she set to work to cleanse and beautify it, and she and her lover (for a man was implicated in the first house-clean-

ing) vied with each other in the adornment of their home, covering its floors with rushes and its walls with garlands of flowers. This was the first step which has cost us later housekeepers so very, very much. For the new institution of house-cleaning followed the usual course of all purely human inventions, and was first elaborated and enriched and improved upon, and gradually degraded from a natural and simple and beautiful rite into a weariness to the flesh, a senseless striving after impossibilities.

Nevertheless, there is still "the heart of good in things evil." It is good for us to keep in touch with Nature, it is good for us to strive towards perfection of any kind, it is good for us to exercise our faculties, it is good for us to take account of our possessions, and to part with all that we do not need. The giving away of old clothes, old books, old furniture, hardly deserves to be called charity, but it is very good *economy*—of time, of space, and of labor—to have our houses cleared of all that we do not actually use. And besides it is very pleasant to see an object that to us was merely an incumbrance, suddenly transformed into the invaluable treasure of some poorer soul.

After all the purest pleasures of house-cleaning are the sentimental ones. And the number of them depends entirely on yourself and your way of looking at things. The cleaning of a book-case, for example, may be simply the removal of dust and dirt, the formal arrangement of volumes upon their accustomed shelves, or it may be all that and very much more,—the delightful recognition of old favorites, the tantalizing glimpse between uncut leaves, the stirring up of half-forgotten memories. Lives there a woman so lost to literature, so devoted to housewifery, that she can resist the temptation to look at a book now and then before she puts it back upon the shelf? You omniverous and *semper-ivorous* readers, with your easy chairs, and student lamps, and unlimited time, know nothing of the rare, keen joy of tasting a book in the very act of dusting it. How delightful it is to perch on the table, or to sit tailor-fashion on the floor, while you skim over the pages of the "last new play and frittered magazine." Did ever novel seem as fascinating as now, when you snatch a word here, a sentence there, and leave the rest for some

more convenient time? Stolen waters are sweet, and the way to really enjoy a book is to feel that you must not read another word of it. This gives a fictitious value to even the driest treatise—an elusive charm quite independent of subject, plot, or style. It is the very essence of true pleasure to leave something still untried. And after all five minutes' skillful "skipping" is quite enough for the ordinary novel, and to study it more closely is only to detect its flaws and dampen your own enthusiasm. So put "Sir Quintin" back upon the shelf and turn your attention to those older, shabbier books. As you brush the dust from their covers, memories, half-sad, half-sweet, come thronging through your brain.

Here is a copy of "Essays on Criticism," a first edition marked here and there in pencil, evidently read and enjoyed when Matthew Arnold was comparatively unknown. And those quick, decided pencil marks bring to your mind the *reader*, quite as distinctly as the *author* of the book. Here, too, is a copy of "Romola," interleaved with Florentine photographs, carefully collected and arranged by your own familiar friend. Do you recall her face, her voice, her manner, as you hastily turn the leaves? And look at this! A little "Golden Treasury," somewhat the worse for wear, spotted by rain, and warped by sunshine, and full of gorgeous autumn leaves, and shadowy ferns, and ghostly, withered flowers. How many memories cluster around that book, of walks, and drives, and picnics, in the happy days when "time was but leisure to our lingering thoughts." Those were the halcyon days when lovers told you all the pleasant things that husbands leave to your imagination,—when all your dresses were becoming, and all your speeches witty, and when the mere fact of your existence conferred inestimable benefits upon mankind. You remember the day you picked and pressed that fern and how

"The sunbeams fell and flattered
Woodland moss and branches brown."

And how somebody else flattered, too?

Well, all those pretty speeches were very pleasant, and as much a part of youth as the arbutus is of spring. But it would

be a very silly person who would exchange the certainties, the fruition of autumn, for the uncertainties, the mere promise of the spring-time. And so you give yourself a little mental shake, and the "Golden Treasury" a little actual one, and go on with your house-cleaning.

You feel slight twinges of remorse. Perhaps you wasted too much time over those book cases. And with the real woman once more in abeyance and the house-wife to the fore, you attack those old trunks. But here, too, you find pit-falls and temptations, much food for thought and sentimental revery. How your heart softens as you see those baby clothes, the half-worn shoes, the little dress with its dainty stitchery,—those mementoes of that marvelous first child, who found you so ignorant, and taught you so much! Look at that old brocade, your grandmother's wedding gown, and picture to yourself that old-time wedding and the "in-fair" afterwards. And here are letters, yellow with age, and folded and sealed and addressed in the most curious way. How full of life and love and ambition and aspiration, they are! As you read you see passing before you the gay faces and youthful figures of those whom you knew only in later years. They become so real, so dear, so intensely interesting, that beside them your actual friends and acquaintances are mere shadows, except as they or their ancestors took part in those long-vanished scenes. Here is a bit of pink ribbon, carefully folded in tissue paper, with a note asking "dear Hester" to wear it round her "fair, pretty neck." And the ribbon is as fresh and bright as on the day when it was bought, and the "fair, pretty neck" is dust and ashes long ago. And it breaks your heart to think that these men and women, so full of ambition and energy, so penetrated with the joy of living, should be *dead*, while these things that perish with the using still remain. Perhaps we have wasted time over the trunks, as we did over the bookcases; but it is good to have our memories refreshed, the dust of oblivion wiped away, some "resurrection in the minds of men" for our beloved dead.

Yes, there are many pleasures and advantages in house-cleaning besides the mere fundamental fact of getting clean.

And it is a good thing if we can learn to take pleasure by the way, if we can acquire what Stevenson calls "the gift of enjoying life's texture as it comes." It is a blessed and happy disposition that can see the beauty hidden in plain and common things, that can find some amusement in the ordinary duties of everyday life, that is willing to welcome a pleasure without a too critical examination of its claims to be considered such. There may be a touch of the ideal in even so prosaic and practical an affair as house-cleaning.

But, having said so much on this side of the question, we are free to admit that there is, as poor, tired Fanny Burney used to say, "a fatigue so physical that nothing mental can stand against it." We may as well confess that we take our keenest pleasure in house-cleaning when it is *over*, then the broom and the scrubbing-brush are at rest for a little while, and we may forget our methods in the joy of our results. It is like the "Children's Wash," celebrated by Mrs. Ewing in one of her clever rhymes:

"We're very glad that we had it,
But we're gladder still that it's done."

May 8th, 1902.

College Song.

Tune—Auld Lang Syne.

Our Alma Mater sits enthroned
Above the hurrying town ;
The changeful years have never dimmed
The glory of her crown.
She keeps the white without a stain,
The purple queenly still,
While countless hearts look up to her—
The College on the Hill.

A constant throng with backward gaze
Pass out the well-known door ;
The world lets some return again,
But many nevermore.
Yet though the path winds far from her,
Their feet can never stray ;
Their Alma Mater guides them still,
A thousand miles away.

Each year new voices swell her praise,
Some well-loved face is gone ;
Death calls us to him one by one,
But still the song goes on.
As long as Pennsylvania keeps
Her watch-fire burning bright,
Shall Pennsylvania's daughters sing
The purple and the white.

Constitution and By-Laws of Alumnae Association.

ARTICLE I.

SEC. 1. This Association shall be known and designated as "ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION OF THE PENNSYLVANIA COLLEGE FOR WOMEN."

SEC. 2. The object of the Association is to further the interests of the College of Pennsylvania and of education in general, and to promote the mutual intercourse and fellowship of the members.

ARTICLE II.

SEC. 1. The Association shall consist of Active, Honorary and Associate members.

SEC. 2. The Active members shall include every graduate of said College.

SEC. 3. The Honorary members shall include the members of the Faculty of at least three years' standing, and the Board of Trustees of the said College, ex-officio, and persons who may be elected Honorary members by a two-thirds vote of the members present at the Annual Business Meeting.

SEC. 4. The Honorary members shall have all privileges except that of holding office and voting.

SEC. 5. The Associate members shall have all the privileges of the Association except that of attendance upon Business Meetings of the Alumnae Association.

ARTICLE III.

SEC. 1. It shall be the prime duty of each active member to keep the Secretary informed of her address and of all facts regarding herself and other members proper to be included in the permanent records of the Association.

ARTICLE IV.

SEC. 1. The officers of the Association shall be a President,

a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer. They shall be elected by a majority and shall hold office for one year, or until their successors are elected.

SEC. 2. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Association, and shall perform all the other duties devolving on such an office.

SEC. 3. The Vice President shall at all times aid the President in the discharge of her duties and in the absence or disability of the President, shall perform all her duties herein prescribed.

SEC. 4. The Secretary shall keep the minutes of the Association, shall notify officers and committees of their election or appointment, and shall perform the general duties appertaining to the office of Secretary. It shall be her duty to ascertain each year the names, addresses and careers of New, Active and Honorary members, and to enter them on the roll and minutes of the next meeting after the graduation of the said new members; she shall also, after due consideration and consultation with the President of the College, issue all the notices for annual and special meetings.

SEC. 5. The Treasurer shall collect, and under direction of the Association disburse, all funds. She shall report at the annual meeting and oftener if required.

SEC. 6. Two editors shall be annually elected by a two-thirds (2-3) vote of the Association, with a sub-committee of two business editors. This committee shall annually edit and publish THE ALUMNAE RECORDER of the Association, in which shall be answered any questions asked in regard to other members that is possible to answer, with such further facts regarding the individual members and other general matters of interest to the Association and appropriate to its objects, as may be deemed practicable and proper.

ARTICLE V.

SEC. 1. The Annual Business Meeting of the Association shall take place at the College on the Friday preceding the commencement day exercises, or at such other time near said date as the Faculty of the College shall appoint. Notice thereof shall be

mailed to all members whose addresses are known at least seven days in advance.

SEC. 2. Special Business Meetings may be called by the President at any time, and on the written request of five members such meetings must be called, provided that no business shall be transacted at any special meeting unless substantially specified in the notices mailed to all members whose addresses are known, at least seven days in advance.

SEC. 3. Ten members shall constitute a quorum of the Association at any meeting, but any less number shall have power to adjourn any regularly called meeting to a subsequent date with or without further notice to the members at large, and at such adjourned meeting any business may be transacted that might have been transacted at the original meeting called, and upon due notice as aforesaid.

SEC. 4. The President may at her own discretion call and arrange for such reunions, banquets or other social meetings of the Association as may be deemed expedient at any time, providing for the expenses of the same out of the funds in the treasury, or by general assessment, or by special charge to persons attending the same.

ARTICLE VI.

SEC. 1. There shall be no initiation fee.

SEC. 2. There shall be an annual due of one dollar paid by each Active member.

SEC. 3. Assessments may be levied by a two-thirds (2-3) vote of the members present at any business meeting of the Association.

SEC. 4. Honorary members shall not be liable to any dues, fees or assessments whatsoever.

By-Laws.

ART. I. The orders of business at the annual meeting of the Association shall be as follows:

1. Roll Call.
2. Reading of Minutes.
3. Receiving New Members.
4. President's Address.
5. Report of Committees.
6. Unfinished Business.
7. New Business.
8. Elections.
9. Adjournment.

June 1, 1893, submitted by the committee,
MRS. W. S. MILLER,
MRS. S. D. WARMCASTLE.

June 2, 1893, approved by Alumnae.

ALUMNAE MINUTES.

Minutes of the Annual Meeting of the Alumnae Association of the Pennsylvania College for Women, Held June 7, 1901.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Miss Lydia Murdoch. It was moved by Miss Kearns and seconded that the roll call be postponed until the latter part of the meeting. Carried.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

It was moved that the Class of 1901, consisting of Miss Mary Bruce, Miss Carrie Kim, Miss Rosetta Anne Moore, Miss Helen May Sands, and Miss Maude Taylor, be admitted to membership. Seconded and carried. The Class was then cordially welcomed by the President.

Next in order was the President's address, an appeal to the Alumnae to be enthusiastic and do all in their power to further the influence and interests of their Alma Mater.

The Treasurer's report showed receipts \$94.11, disbursements \$94.11. Report was approved.

Reports of committees were next heard. Owing to a mistake of the Secretary the Committee on College Colors had nothing to report. It was moved by Mrs. Carmack that the same committee on colors be appointed for next year. Carried. The committee consisted of Mrs. Dunham Barton, chairman; Mrs. John M. Pardee, Miss E. B. Davidson, Mrs. Charles Spencer, Miss Alice Thomas.

The Helen E. Pelletreau Scholarship Committee reported progress.

The Treasurer's report showed—Receipts, \$2,060.63; disbursements, \$439.00; amount in mortgages, \$4,300.00; balance in

bank and cash, \$2,060.63, making a total of \$5,921.63, an increase of \$435.45. Report was approved.

The Vice President, Miss Sara Bryant, now took the chair. It was moved by Miss Armstrong that Dr. Chalmers Martin, President of the College, be elected an honorary member of the Association. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously, with applause.

The President welcomed Dr. Martin into our number and he accepted the membership in a graceful speech, appreciated by all.

Miss Murdoch moved a vote of thanks to Mrs. Taylor for her vigorous work as Chairman of the Scholarship Committee. Motion seconded and carried.

It was moved by Mrs. Warmcastle that a committee be appointed to receive the Alumnae at the next meeting. Seconded and carried.

The Nominating Committee reported the following ticket:

President—Miss Sara Bryant.

Vice President—Mrs. Charles H. Kerr.

Secretary—Mrs. R. G. Armstrong.

Treasurer—Miss Bard.

Editors of the RECORDER—Miss Anna Robinson, Miss Nina Ellis, Mrs. Wilmer Martin, Miss Barker.

The nominations were closed, the vote taken by ballot was counted, the entire ticket being elected as nominated.

It was moved that the Scholarship Committee be re-elected. Carried.

The roll was called, showing 52 active members and four honorary members present.

The motion to adjourn was made, seconded and carried.

MARGUERITE WALDRON BONNETT,
Secretary.

**Treasurer's Report Alumnae Association for the Year Ending
April 30, 1902.**

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand May 1, 1901.....	\$ 26 41
Annual Fees	74 00
Interest on Deposit	1 81
	\$102 22

DISBURSEMENTS.

1901.

May 11, Treasurer's Postals.....	\$ 3 00
June 1, Editor's Expense	2 64
July 11, "Index" Co., for Printing Recorder.....	37 75
	\$ 43 39

Balance April 30, 1902.

In Bank.....	\$52 53
On hand	6 30— 58 83
	\$102 22

Respectfully submitted,

EVA MOREHEAD BARD, *Treasurer.*

Report of Helen E. Pelletreau Scholarship Fund.

RECEIPTS.

1901.

May 1,	Balance on hand.....	\$1,621 63
8,	E. B. Barker.....	5 00
14,	Mrs. S. Ayres	1 00
14,	Mrs. Robert Patterson.....	5 00
14,	Mrs. L. P. Taylor.....	15 00
14,	Eleanor H. Nimick	10 00
15,	R. V. Masson	5 00
16,	Annie Abbott	10 00
17,	Alan Wood.....	25 00
20,	Alice Thomas, for Class of 1900.....	20 00
21,	Janet McCune	100 00
21,	Mrs. L. P. Taylor.....	20 00
21,	Mrs. G. A. Berry.....	5 00
21,	Eleanor Stevenson	10 00
23,	Mrs. Louise D. Beggs.....	5 00
23,	Mrs. W. S. Arter.....	1 00
26,	Mrs. H. J. Hawkins.....	5 00
28,	Mrs. H. Lee Mason.....	100 00
28,	L. K. Murdoch.....	5 00
28,	Sara Bryant	5 00
28,	Grace Hood	1 00
31,	Mrs. Helen Carroll.....	25 00
June 3,	Misses Mackintosh	5 00
6,	Mrs. Harry P. Pears.....	5 00
6,	Mr. Lawrence Dilworth	25 00
Aug. 17,	Mortgage No. 1, Interest.....	39 00
17,	M. B. Chislett.....	2 00
July 1,	Interest on Deposit.....	17 56
Aug. 31,	Interest, Mortgage No. 4.....	24 00
	Amount forward.....	<u>\$2,117 19</u>

	Brought forward.....	\$2,117 19
Oct. 9,	Interest, Mortgage No. 3.....	48 00
	9, Interest, Mortgage No. 2.....	18 00
1902.		
Jan. 31,	Principal Mortgage No. 4.....	200 00
	31, Interest Mortgage No. 4.....	23 00
	31, Mrs. A. V. Davis.....	5 00
M'ch 4,	Interest Mortgage No. 1.....	39 00
	4, Miss Easton	5 00
Apr. 7,	Interest Mortgage No. 3.....	48 00
	7, Interest Mortgage No. 2.....	18 00
Jan. 1,	Interest on Deposit	42 29
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		\$2,563 48

DISBURSEMENTS.

1901.		
May 24,	Weldin (Stationery).....	2 00
1902.		
Apr. 30,	Tuition and board, one scholar... ..	315 00
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		\$ 317 00
May 1,	Balance in Bank....	2,242 68
	Cash	3 80—
		2,246 48
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		\$2,563 48

AMOUNT INVESTED IN MORTGAGES.

Mortgage No. 1, interest 6%	\$1,300 00
Mortgage No. 2, interest 6%	600 00
Mortgage No. 3, interest 6%	1,600 00
Mortgage No. 4, interest 6%	600 00
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	\$4,100 00

This, with the cash balance (\$2,246.48), makes a total of \$6,346.48, which is \$346.48 more than the \$6,000.00 originally desired.

MARGUERITE W. BONNETT,
Treasurer.

May 10, 1902.

EDITORIAL.

In receiving responses to the postals sent out by the editors of the RECORDER, we were surprised to find how widely scattered are the members of our Alumnae Association. Replies to our requests for news came from far and near, so that it seemed as though our College had a representative in every part of our country. This scattering of the Alumnae is certainly to be regretted in one way, in that we cannot all come together as often as we should like to and our intercourse cannot be very close,—even Alumnae Day must find so many absent,—but it is possible even for those living at the greatest distance to keep in touch with the College through the RECORDER, and on the other hand what an opportunity is given to them to extend the influence of their Alma Mater where perhaps her name has not been known before. Of course it is not necessary to urge loyalty on the part of our members, for we all love our College and are deeply interested in her welfare; but let us all see to it, wherever we may be, that we embrace every opportunity to sing her praises and extend her fame.

Before closing we should like to endorse the suggestion made in the President's address that the committees and editors of the RECORDER be called together and organized for work in the fall after their election. Those of you who have never been on the editorial committee perhaps cannot realize the difficulties in trying to secure correct addresses, bits of news, suitable articles, etc., within six weeks or two months of the time for the RECORDER to be out; but we assure you it is hard work and some such plan as that spoken of would ease the labor of the editors to a wonderful extent.

In conclusion we want to thank those who so generously helped us in preparing this number of the RECORDER, by their contributions in articles and news, and by their kindly advice as to the work connected with it.

Colloquium Club.

Colloquium is progressing, with a full membership of fifty and a "waiting" list.

On November 25th we completed our Russian studies, and the annual election, December 9th, resulted very satisfactorily, with Mrs. W. A. Magee in the chair and Miss Brownlee for Vice President; Secretary, Mrs. Wm. M. Stevenson; Treasurer, Miss Sara Shaw.

On January 20th, the club invited their friends to hear Mrs. Conover, of Dayton, O., lecture on "Moliere," at the College, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all who availed themselves of the opportunity to hear this interesting woman talk.

On January the 16th, we began our work as suggested by the new program, with a "Pittsburg Day," and developed much interesting matter concerning famous Pittsburgers and their fast growing, fast becoming famous city. Since that day every second and fourth Monday of the month we have met alternately at the College or at the home of some member of the club and pursued our "studies in the Far East" and on "Modern Art and Literature," discussing in turn "The Philippine Question," "The Chinese Empire—its Past and Present Prospects and Possibilities," interspersed with "Topics of The Times," occasional Book Reviews, and many fine musical selections.

On February the 13th, the Club was invited to attend a meeting of Federated Clubs at the Century Club, and Mrs. Shafer and Mrs. Miller served on the Hospitality Committee. Mrs. Shafer also read a paper in favor of "Reorganization," presenting the question in a very able manner.

At the last meeting in March the Club was addressed by Miss Charlotte Hawes, a Shadyside Missionary, who was in China at the time of the Boxer uprising. She spoke of the Chinese romances and sang a Buddhist chant.

While this goes to print Mrs. Sara Hillman is our delegate to the National Federation of Clubs, at Los Angeles, and Mrs. Able, alternate. Our delegate went instructed to vote against reorganization and also instructed that the sentiment of the Club would be with the resolution of The Woman's Club, of Orange, N. J., in regard to not bringing up the "Color question."

The last spring meeting will be "Pennsylvania Day" at the College.

During the summer Colloquium Club is represented in the Summer Play Grounds Work by a committee composed of Mrs. Morton, Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Seymour and Mrs. Davis, and other volunteer workers.

Also interested to some extent in the supplying of pure milk to the babies of the poor, and also furnish two active members of The Consumers' League.

Then in the fall we will take up the study of Japan and subjects bearing on Art and the Carnegie exhibition.

I have no hesitancy in saying that nearly every member feels that it is a good thing to belong to Colloquium.

The Decade Club.

Several years ago, when there was talk of organizing a club of the Alumnae of the last decade, the idea of an organization with no definite object, save that of promoting sociability among its members, appealed strongly to many girls who dreaded the fate of being "clubbed to death." There was something attractive in being President of a club, and not having to preside, of being Secretary and having no minutes to record, of attending meetings where amusement (?) was the feature of the program. But to many members it seems that the time has come to decide whether or not all play is the best way to spend the first Monday of the month. Should not the officers have some duties, and perform them? Should not the Club have a definite object?

Any one who has the welfare of the Club at heart must have seen how the interest as shown by the attendance has declined the past year.

Are we to *be* a "Decayed" Club, as our friends have called us in jest? Or will we, with some definite aim, live as long as the Alumnae Association, and help in every way possible, our Alma Mater?

Correspondence.

DEAR RECORDER:

Perhaps it may be of interest to the dear girls of '77, and a few other "old-timers," to hear of the birth of my little daughter on the first day of February, this year. Up to that date our family was comprised of two lively boys, now eight and nine years of age—so that the arrival of a "young lady" was hailed with delight by her relatives, and she is looked upon as a pleasing novelty. She has received the names of two grandmas, "Frances Elizabeth," is hearty and happy and bids fair to be a blessing to her fond parents in their declining years.

How I wish the old girls would write to the RECORDER every year. Even in the strenuous life of mothers and housekeepers can be found a few moments of leisure in which to pen a chatty letter of personal or family affairs to the RECORDER, and when it is really the only mode of communication between many dear old friends, it ought to be considered a duty and privilege.

With loving remembrances to all old friends and with many best wishes for the future prosperity of our Alma Mater.

Sincerely,

SUSIE H. LOCKE MASON.

"HILLCREST," ASHLAND, O., May 6, 1902.

In Memoriam.

On Friday, December 27, 1901, there passed away from her life here among us, Annie Singer Ebbert, one who was well known and well loved. Her bright, sweet ways endeared her to all, as a girl at school, for who of us recalling those days does not remember her ever pleasant greeting; and as the years went on each one seemed but to add new beauty to her character, so gentle and loving was she always. Following in the steps of her Master, hers was a heart ever ready to help, ever ready to cheer or sympathize, and though we say she has gone from us here, it is really not so, for the sweet influence of her unselfish spirit will always dwell in the hearts of those who knew and loved her.

It is our sad duty to record the death, in August, 1901, of Esther Reynolds Alger, a member of the Class of 1880. For three years she had been a sufferer from tuberculosis, and had known the pain of being exiled from home,—“ordered South” in



search of health and forced to leave behind her those whom she loved even more than life itself. Through all changes and vicissitudes, the alternation of hope and despair, the gradual resigning of one duty, one pleasure after another, she showed herself patient and brave, "an affectionate wife, a devoted mother, a constant friend, a consistent Christian." So writes one who knew her best of all. Her classmates remember her as a diligent student, gentle in manner, patient under provocation, thoroughly conscientious in all that she said or did.



The Class of 1876 has been called to mourn the death of one of its brightest members in the past year. On the 6th of November, 1901, after a brief illness of typhoid fever, F. Bertie Carrier (Mrs. Alan Wood), passed away. She left a family of boys and girls, some grown to manhood and womanhood, her oldest daughter being married a few weeks after her mother's death. Mrs. Wood was a consistent member and worker in the Church of the Ascension.



Engagements.

- May Krepps, '94, to Mr. Charles Holding, of Pittsburg.
Mary Speer, '95, to Mr. Robert Watt.
Emilie M. Schellenberg, '99, to Mr. Robert Paull.
Anne M. Robinson, '96, to Dr. R. C. Cooper, of Bellevue, Pa.
Jennie DeVore, '99, to Mr. George Porter, of Pittsburg.
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Marriages.

- Nina M. Ellis, '99, to Mr. Robert Taylor, of Pittsburg,
April, 1902.
Elizabeth S. Barnes, '93, to Mr. Wm. R. Watson, June, 1901.
Sarah Bryant, '94, to Mr. Wm. M. Stevenson, June 27, 1901.
Margaret Easton, '91, to Mr. Frank Rahm Liggett, October
30, 1901.
Elizabeth B. Davidson, '96, to Mr. William de Courcey Top-
ley, of Ottawa, Canada, on January 15, 1902.
Grace W. Hood, '97, to Mr. Thos. Hannah, March 20, 1902.
Emma Halsey Snyder, '00, to Mr. Everett Woodford Jones,
April 10, 1902.
Matilda Milligan, '97, to Mr. Gordon Fisher, of Swissvale,
June, 1901.
Mrs. M. Eva Hays, '78, to Mr. Arthur Fording, of Pittsburg.

Births.

Mrs. J. B. Clark, '86, a son, Byron Clark, May 16, 1901.

Mrs. James Hayward Harlow, '94, a son, James Hayward Harlow III, October 1, 1901.

Mrs. Wm. P. Barker, '92, a daughter, Harriet, January 13, 1902.

Mrs. Stephen Stone, '98, a daughter, Margaret, February 25, 1902.

Mrs. Charles Flack, '92, a son, February, 1902.

Mrs. James E. Brown, '91, a son, April 6, 1902.

Mrs. C. D. Mason, '77, a daughter, February 1, 1902.

Mrs. Dunham Barton, '93, a son, David Barbour Barton, September 24, 1901.

PERSONAL.

Eliza F. McGrew, who attended the College in 1891-92, died on July 2, 1901. Miss McGrew attended the College only one year, but the girls who were associated with her at that time will be sorry to hear of her death.

The Decade Club will miss Mrs. Carmack, '99, and Miss Beringer, '98, from their meetings. Mrs. Carmack has moved from Wilkinsburg to Blairsville and Miss Beringer has gone with her brother's family to Franklin, which place she likes very much.

The members of the Alumnae will all be sorry to know that

Miss Pelletreau has not been well since October of last year. She is with Mrs. Clark in Brooklyn, and though improving in health, is not strong yet. We hoped to have a word from her for the RECORDER, but she was not able to write anything.

Mrs. J. Ernest Yalden is enjoying very much her new home in Leonia, N. J., to which place she has lately moved from New York City. Her husband is a successful college professor and great mathematician. Mrs. Yalden was Margaret Lyon, of the Class of '77.

Anne Meloy, '96, who has been teaching in West Newton since her graduation, has just accepted and entered upon a new position in the east.

The Class of '94 seems to be the traveled class of the Alumnae, two of its members having been away during the winter and a third being about to start for Europe,—Florence Aull spent the winter in Florida; Annie Kearns took a long trip through Mexico and California early in the year, and Lydia Kellor Murdoch expects to spend the summer abroad with Madame de Vallay's party.

Jennie DeVore, '99, is now teaching in Glendale in the school of which her aunt, Miss R. Jennie DeVore, is principal.

We wish to express to Alice Thomas, '99, and to her sister, Ray, who attended the College for several years, our heartfelt sympathy in the death of their father, Dr. Thomas, of the South Side, who died in January, 1902.

Eva M. Bard, '94, writes that she is still on the active list, but is not doing anything worthy of mention,—still uncalled for, but hopeful.

Lucie H. Brown, of Beaver, who attended the College in '92-94, has been spending the winter in Cambridge, Mass., and expects to go abroad some time in the summer.

On the 15th of January last Miss Elizabeth Blythe Davidson was married to Mr. William de Courcey Topley, of Ottawa, Canada. The ceremony, which was performed at six o'clock, was witnessed only by the members of the two immediate families, but a very pretty reception followed later in the evening and a number of College people were among the guests. Miss Davidson was a member of the Class of '96, and has many friends among the Alumnæ, whose good wishes go with her to her new home in Canada.

Mrs. Henry Barret (Carrie Barker), '78, of New Brighton, spent last winter traveling in the South.

Alice Ralston, of Kittanning, who attended the College from '94-99, has been visiting several of the College girls in the east this spring.

Elizabeth Hillman, '90, is doing graduate work in Biology at the University of Chicago, where the facilities for work in Biology are probably unexcelled in this country, this department having a special endowment of a million dollars. Miss Hillman also completed a graduate course in Anglo-Saxon last year at Bryn Mawr College.

The Faculty of the College will miss one of its members next year, as Miss King does not expect to return in the fall.

The girls who were under Miss Draper (now Mrs. Parker), in the gymnasium will be interested to know of the arrival of her little daughter last fall.

Mrs. Dunham Barton, '93, and her small son, expect to spend the summer in Mercer, Pa., with Mr. and Mrs. Barton, Sr.

A new departure was made by the Class of '94 in entertaining the Decade Club at its May meeting, on the fifth of that month, at the home of Mrs. William Stevenson. Invitations

were sent out by Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Porter for an evening meeting, to which the men friends of the members were also invited. This proved a pleasing novelty and the evening was thoroughly enjoyed by those present.

Program for Commencement Week, June 5-9, 1902.

Annual Concert, Dilworth Hall, Thursday, June 5th, 8.15 P. M.

Art Exhibition and Reception, the Studio, Friday, June 6th, 3.00 to 6.00 P. M.

Annual meeting of the Alumnae Association, Dilworth Hall, Friday, June 6th, 3.00 P. M.

Alumnae Dinner, Berry House, Friday, June 6th, 6.00 P. M.

Class Day, Dilworth Hall and The Campus, Saturday, June 7th, 3.00 P. M.

Baccalaureate Sermon by President Martin, First Presbyterian Church, Wilkinsburg, Sunday, June 8th, 11.00 A. M.

Commencement Exercises—Conferring of Diplomas. Address by John A. Brashear, Sc. D., Acting Chancellor of Western University of Pennsylvania, Dilworth Hall, Monday, June 9th, 8.00 P. M.

President's Reception, Berry House, Monday, June 9th, 10.00 to 11.30 A. M.

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ESSAY SUBJECTS.

“The Development of Man’s Soul as Illustrated in the Poems of Browning.”—*Mary Blair.*

“Tennyson’s Interpretation of Man as an Individual.”—*Elsie Braun.*

An Interpretation of Lowell’s “The Bigelow Papers.”—*Helen Dickey.*

Interpretation of “The Cathedral” and the “Ode Recited at the Harvard Commemoration.”—*Annie Houston.*

“Tennyson’s Views on Social Progress.”—*Grace Kingsberry.*

“A Study of Rosetti’s Poetry in the Light of His Paintings.”—*Clara Littell.*

“The Personal Life of Tennyson.”—*Margaret McClelland.*

"Matthew Arnold—the Writer of Elegies."—*Margaret McKinney.*

"The Ethical Teaching of Browning."—*Annie Montgomery.*

"The Religious Views of Tennyson."—*Helen Sherrard.*

"Principles of Vision, Sincerity and Beauty as Observed in Browning's Poems."—*Mary Shrom.*

"The Biography and Personality of Matthew Arnold."—*Edith Stanton.*

"The Romantic Element in Tennyson's Poems."—*Elizabeth Van Wagener.*

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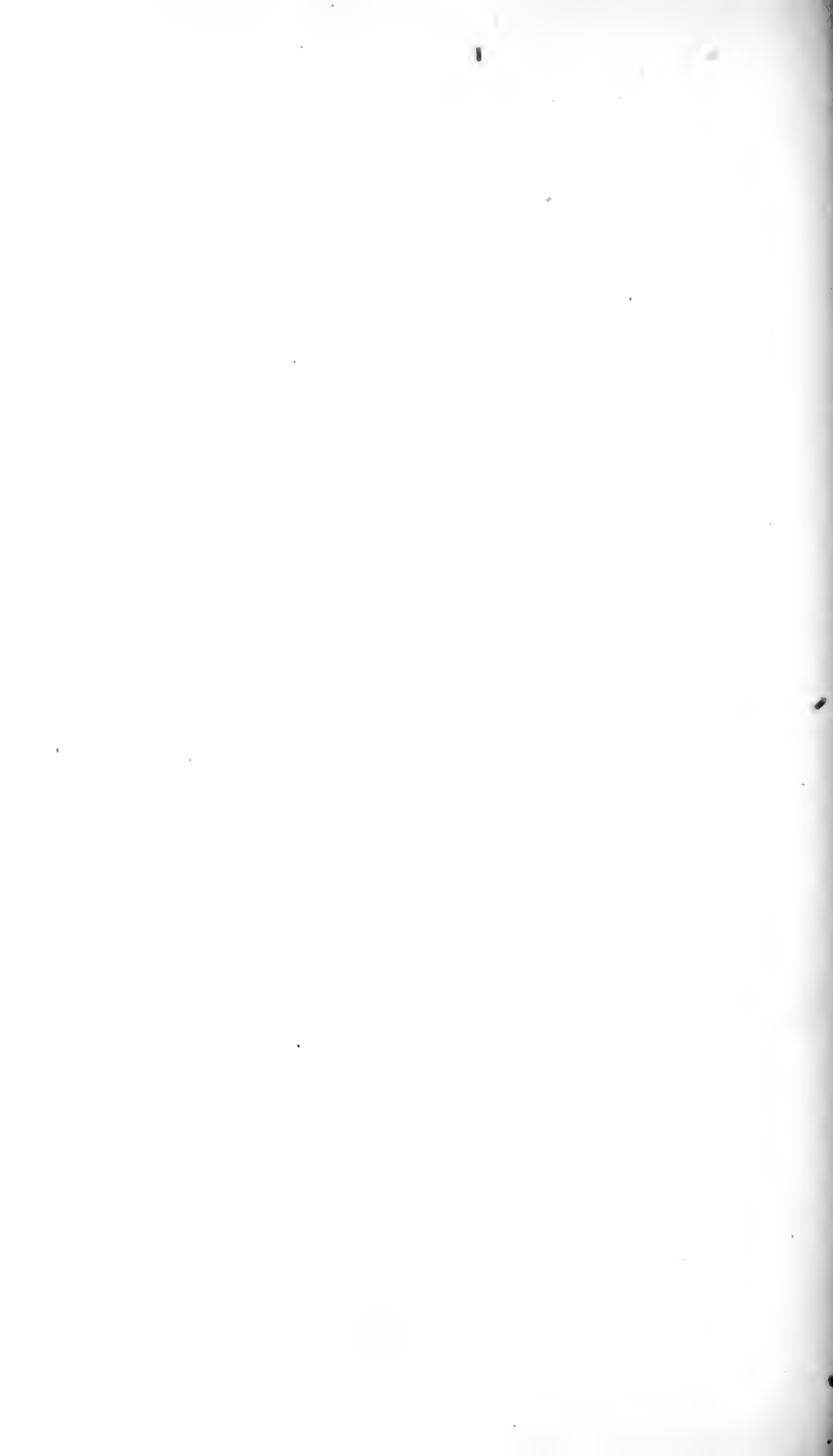
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ALUMNAE RECORDER.

President's Address.

Each time I have looked over the long list of names of members of this Association, and I have looked it over quite often during the last four months, I have felt more and more deeply the honor of being chosen to represent and preside over such a body. It is a great honor indeed, and I cannot help being overwhelmed by it. I feel particularly unworthy comparing myself with the one whom we elected president last June, one whom we all felt would fill the position so efficiently. By Mrs. Kerr's death we have lost one of our most faithful and enthusiastic workers, whose aid at this critical time seems so much needed, but I feel sure that the memory of her earnestness will encourage us all to stronger efforts now that our Alma Mater is so much in need of our help.

Last year our president spoke of the comatose state of the Alumnæ, and hoped that it would be followed by a season of renewed activity. Her hopes are certainly being realized, for there is a great effort being made among at least the local Alumnæ, which should accomplish great good when combined with the other forces which are being set to work in behalf of the College.

The past year has certainly been an eventful one in the history of this institution, and a very hard and trying one to all who are interested in its welfare. When the news reached us in January that, owing to the heavy and rapidly increasing debt, the College, which was a home to us all for so long must close its doors in a few months unless the debt could be paid and an enormous endowment raised in that time, we were greatly shocked and almost disheartened. It may be that these exaggerated reports were what we really needed to arouse us from our dormant state. Certainly we were aroused, and since then whenever one Alumna has met another the College and its interests have been the chief topic of conversation.

The more we have the truth of affairs, the more earnestly have we wished to do all in our power to help our Alma Mater, and a stronger spirit of loyalty has been shown, I believe, than ever before.

As the years have passed, this Association has grown not only in membership, but in ambition and achievement. Its first effort was made about eighteen years ago when the nucleus of the library was formed, and from that time to the present, there has always been some plan on foot to aid the College. The report of the Scholarship Committee shows what grand work has been done along that line; and now a greater task than ever is before us, and over two hundred strong, it would be cowardly to shirk.

Article I, Sec. 2 of our constitution reads, "The object of the Association is to further the interests of the College of Pennsylvania and of education in general, and to promote the mutual intercourse and fellowship of the members." The promotion of mutual fellowship will naturally follow if we make a real effort to carry out the primary object, the furthering of the interests of our Alma Mater. She has done a great deal for us, how much we cannot estimate, but comparing even casually the educated woman with the uneducated, we cannot help being grateful for what has been done for us here to place us in the more honored and more worthy class. We have been given the best Pennsylvania College has had to offer, and now we are asked to do our share in giving her the means of taking her rightful position among the foremost institutions of learning in the United States.

The board of trustees is wide awake and working hard in the interests of the College; our two representatives can testify to that, but the trustees cannot build up the College alone, and they need the help of the Alumnæ, individually and as an Association. First, there is the debt, that must be paid, and then comes the endowment. To raise that seems like a great undertaking, but with earnestness and persistence it can be accomplished for Pennsylvania College as it has been for other institutions, more needy, and with fewer natural advantages. With our new class we have, I believe, two hundred and seventeen members, and each one of these should feel it a duty and a privilege to do her share in this work. We can all give,

some more, some less; let each one give all she can, thinking what it means to us to have our Alma Mater classed among the leading colleges. Among two hundred and seventeen women we can surely raise subscriptions which will make a worthy showing in the Endowment Fund, and keep the Alumnæ Association up to the standard which it has established.

But great as is the need for money, equally great is the need for enthusiasm, for that is the life of the enterprise; it is what shows to the world that we really hold our Alma Mater worthy of what is to be done for her. The number of Collegiate students and particularly the number of boarders this year has been very small, and nothing but loyalty and enthusiasm on the part of both students and alumnæ will improve this condition. In this part of the work our responsibility is very great. During the next few months we will have ample opportunity of showing how we really feel regarding the College. Let us be enthusiastic for her, feel a pride in her welfare which will stimulate us to unwearied exertion in her behalf, and we will find that in helping the College we are doing ourselves a greater good in regaining that College spirit which keeps us young in the memory of College days, and draws us closer to College friends. Let us do everything in our power for our Alma Mater, and by our earnestness and loyalty encourage others to do for her what we cannot.

Edith L. Edeburn.

Toasts.

Believing the absent daughters of the Alumnæ may be interested in last year's after-dinner talks, I take pleasure in collecting the kernels and submitting them.

The dinner, cooked by the same faithful Mary who ruled over the kitchen twenty years ago, and who is not yet dethroned, was enjoyed by all. The program, done in purple and white, was a double folded sheet. On the front page was engraved—

Pennsylvania College for Women.
 Thirty-Second
 Alumnae Banquet.
 June 6th, 1902.
 Mrs. W. M. Stevenson, '94,
 Toast Mistress.

Officers of the Alumnae Association:
 President—Mrs. W. M. Stevenson, '94.
 Vice President—Mrs. Charles H. Kerr, '96.
 Secretary—Mrs. R. G. Armstrong, '88.
 Treasurer—Miss Eva Moorhead Bard, '94.

Menu.

Little Neck Clams.

Potage à la Crème.

Fish Soufflé.

Cucumbers.

Sweetbread Patés.

Green Peas.

Pineapple Sherbet.

Asparagus.

Roast Beef.

Potatoes.

Lettuce and Tomato Salad.

Cheese Wafers.

Ice Cream.

Cakes.

Strawberries.

Café Noir.

Crackers.

Cheese.

Toasts.

The FacultyPresident Martin

“And still they gazed, and still the wonder grew,
 How one small head could carry all he knew.”

The Ideal Alumna.....Welcome to Class of 1902
 Mrs. Grace Warmcastle, '77.

“And some loquacious were, and some
Listened perhaps, but never talked at all”
“Salutation and greeting to you!”

Response for the Graduating Class,

Miss Margaret McKinney, '02.

The Smart Set.....Miss Annie D. Kearns, '94

“Bless you, my fortunate lady!”

Domestic Science at a Woman's College,

Mrs. Wm. R. Watson, '93

“All history attests that happiness for man—the
hungry sinner!—

Since Eve ate apples, much depends upon his
dinner.”

Our College.....Mrs. Stephen Stone, '98

“Let those love now who never loved before;

Let those that always loved thee love thee more.”

Mrs. Stevenson was most sympathetic in introducing the speakers. After welcoming the old girls, she paid President Martin some very charming compliments, to which he replied by most feelingly complimenting the Faculty and referring to their concentration of purpose and harmony of action; welcomed us all home and hoped that each year would bring us all more in touch with our Alma Mater.

In welcoming the new class, Mrs. Warmcastle pointed out the possibility that the dreams and ambitions of which they now stood possessed might be less influenced by environment than by one man power; and suggested that a name preceded by Mrs. might stand for as great good and happiness as one followed by B.A. or LL.D. She said an ideal Alumnae should be the outgrowth of a college sufficiently endowed to raise it above all future needs and petty wants.

Miss McKinney paid a charming tribute to the “old grads,” speaking of their having attained through personal effort the things still hoped for by them, and of the admiration and love the undergraduate felt for the members of the Alumnae; of the influence and helpfulness the preceding classes exert. She pointed out that our common interest was to make our Alma Mater a power among colleges, and that their most

zealous efforts and noblest aims were with the Alumnæ and were for the good of our College Mother.

Miss Kearns made some witty remarks on "The Smart Set," pointing out the numerous ways of being smart; the fact that a woman always presided in that set; and that wit and wisdom combined with a little chiffon and lace might make a seeming smartness, but only a college graduate could in every respect make the proper setting.

Mrs. Stevenson, in introducing Mrs. Watson, remarked that no fact is better confirmed than that it is useless for a woman to talk to a man when he is hungry. Though the sweeter disposition of a woman enables her to listen to a man at any time, and like the children in the market place, "If he mourns unto us we'll lament, if he pipes we'll dance," but we'd rather dance.

Mrs. Watson made a plea for the well ordered household; that to the regular curriculum be added some science that would more directly apply to domestic economy. Some one has said: First, that educated women seldom marry; second, if they do marry, their education is wasted, and third, if they do marry and do not consider their education wasted there is nothing in their education of value in the household—to which Mrs. Watson entered an earnest protest.

In Simmons College, Boston, there is now a department where plumbing, ventilation, sanitation, cooking, chemistry of food, artistic decoration, care of children, dietaries are all studied, based on general scientific principles and then applied. She closed her remarks with Meredith's quotation, "Civilized men cannot live without cooks."

Mrs. Stone spoke in highest praise of our college, both as to location, appointments and standard, giving a short history of its thirty-two years. She pointed out our duty and pleaded earnestly for more active, concentrated interest on the part of the Alumnæ, both as to pupils, standard and endowment, and urged us to be satisfied only with the highest and best.

The toasts were followed by the entire party singing the College Song.

G. W., '77.

COLLEGE SONG.

Tune—Auld Lang Syne.

Our Alma Mater sits enthroned
 Above the hurrying town;
 The changeful years have never dimmed
 The glory of her crown.
 She keeps the white without a stain,
 The purple queenly still,
 While countless hearts look up to her—
 The College on the hill.

A constant throng with backward gaze
 Pass out the well-known door;
 The world lets some return again,
 But many nevermore.
 Yet though the path winds far from her,
 Their feet can never stray;
 Their Alma Mater guides them still,
 A thousand miles away.

Each year new voices swell her praise,
 Some well-loved face is gone;
 Death calls us to him one by one,
 But still the song goes on.
 As long as Pennsylvania keeps
 Her watch-fire burning bright,
 Shall Pennsylvania's daughters sing
 The purple and the white.

Some Notes on the Academic Year, 1902-1903.

President Martin.

By the time the *Alumnæ Recorder* is issued the active work of another academic year will have been completed. A few notes as to the events of the year and the character of the work that has been accomplished may prove interesting and timely.

The year has been a trying one in some respects, chiefly in the annoyance and damage suffered through rumors circu-

lated in Pittsburgh during the winter that the College was to be closed. These rumors alleged that the institution would be closed in April, in June; that its property was to be sold. It would be idle, even if it were now worth while, to inquire who were responsible for the origination of these rumors and the currency which they attained. The only point of moment is, that in spite of the fact that they were entirely without foundation, they did great damage. The immediate effect was the loss from our roll at the end of the first semester of a considerable number of students who, for one reason or another, were somewhat loosely attached to the College. The more serious effect is likely to be seen in a still further shrinkage in the enrollment at the opening of the next academic year. A reasonable hope of stability for the arrangements made must enter into the consideration of parents when deciding where to educate their children, and any reports that raise a question as to the future permanency of an institution of learning must be a grave menace to its success. Therefore (and it is for this reason that attention is called to this matter at all), it becomes every friend of the College to do whatever is possible to counteract the impression made by these unfounded rumors.

It is a pleasure to turn from these disquieting reports to the character of the work done during the year now closing. From the standpoint of the Faculty, and we hope from that of the students as well, it has been a thoroughly successful year. Quiet, good order has been the almost unbroken rule both among the resident students and those who come in each day. The spirit of antagonism on the part of the students toward the teachers, which is so often to be found in schools, has not shown itself in even the slightest degree. Instead of this there has been a sense of comradeship in a common work at once interesting and important that is in itself a large element in successful teaching and learning. As a consequence of this good understanding and of the spirit of earnestness which has pervaded the place, the percentage of failures has been much smaller than usual, while the number of those who have maintained high standing in all their studies has been greatly increased.

One gratifying evidence of the enthusiasm for study is to be seen in the greater use made of the library, particularly by

the younger students. The "studious silence," the demand for which was half laughed at and half resented a few years ago, has now become a well established tradition of our beautiful library room, while the index which was completed last year and which makes all the material on our shelves available, is in constant use. The students are also taking increasing advantage of the Carnegie Library, to whose generous management we are constantly indebted. The modern principle of library management seems to be to make the library of the greatest possible use to the largest possible number of persons; and of this delightful principle there could hardly be a better illustration than is to be found in the courtesy and helpfulness of Librarian Anderson and his assistants, some of whom the College is proud to claim as her *alumnæ*.

In this connection it is a pleasure to acknowledge the generosity of the first Decade Club in making a gift of money for the increase of the library. Much as we may depend upon the larger collection of the Carnegie Library there are still hundreds of books which we should have on our own shelves for ready use. In a matter of this kind the smallest gift, even a single needed volume or the price of one, counts, and the example of the Decade Club is therefore one to be commended to the *alumnæ* as a whole and to all the friends of the College.

While the present body of students has been doing faithful work our representatives at other institutions have continued to reflect credit on their Alma Mater—Miss Hillman, at Columbia, Miss Van Wagener, at Bryn Mawr, and Miss Montgomery, at Cornell, have done admirable work. Miss Van Wagener has had an article accepted for publication by the leading chemical journal in this country. Miss Montgomery has had her scholarship in Philosophy renewed for the coming year, and looks forward to the attainment of her Doctor's degree. Interest in graduate study is growing among our students. We have excellent candidates for graduate opportunities in the class now graduating, and I shall be disappointed if by the time this is read some gratifying announcement cannot be made with respect to this matter.

The year has brought pretty much the usual round of social enjoyments. Hallowe'en, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas, and St. Valentine's Day have all been duly celebrated,

though not always on the exact date of their occurrence, according to the calendar, and there have been dances, teas, parties, and spreads in the accustomed number. The Western University musical clubs gave a successful concert and Miss Kratz, assisted by Miss Graham and Mr. Bilbie, rendered an enjoyable elocutionary and musical program. While this is being written we are on the eve of the wonted May Day fete, and are hoping that a much needed rain will not be sent till after Saturday,—the tradition that it always storms when the College is to have a festival of any sort, has long ago been falsified! Perhaps, however, it will not be invidious to say that the greatest pleasures of the year were the performance of "She Stoops to Conquer" by the present Senior Class and the visit and lecture of Dr. Sydney Lee, the great Shakespearean scholar. Noughty Three certainly deserve great credit for the energy and ability which made possible so spirited a presentation of Goldsmith's play, and their success gave them courage to undertake an even more serious task for their class day, nothing less, in fact, than an out-of-doors performance of "As You Like It." Great as the difficulties are, those of us who saw their success in "She Stoops to Conquer," and who have had opportunity to know the earnestness with which they have prepared for this greater venture, have little doubts of their success.

The visit of Dr. Lee we owe to the alertness and energy of Dr. Knapp, to whose scholarly spirit we owe so much that is best in our academic life. Dr. Lee was the guest of the College for two days. On the first evening of his stay a reception was given in his honor. On the second he delivered his masterly lecture on "Shakespeare's Life" in the auditorium of the Conservatory of Music to an audience representative of the best culture of the two cities. Altogether his coming was a delightful episode. Great scholar as he is, his simplicity and genial spirit made him an ideal guest, while the clearness of his style and the excellence of his elocution made his lecture most enjoyable as well as most enlightening.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Pepys at Home.

[This article is a fragment of a larger manuscript.—Editors.]

Pepys, in his famous diary, described with unconscious, but none the less consummate skill, the world he lived in, and we know only a little less intimately than Pepys himself, his friends and family. There, to begin with, was Mrs. Pepys, a very important factor in his life, and one that he had to reckon with sometimes most unexpectedly. She was a beautiful and penniless young girl, Elizabeth St. Michel, the daughter of a Huguenot who had come over to England as Gentleman Carver to Queen Henrietta Maria, but had been discharged from her service for refusing to attend mass. The date of the marriage is uncertain, the register of St. Margaret's Church giving one day, and Mr. and Mrs. Pepys giving another. On October 10th, 1665, Pepys writes: "So home to supper and to bed, it being my wedding night, but how many years I cannot tell: but my wife says ten." But that, too, was a mistake, as it was really eleven.

At the time of their marriage she was very young (only fifteen), very beautiful, very fond of gayety, uneducated, undisciplined, but clever, witty, affectionate and (what is most important even to a beauty-lover like Pepys) a good cook and a fairly good housekeeper. And after fourteen years of wedded life, marked changes of fortune, much discipline, and some little education, we venture to say that she still remained very much the same. The shrewd and cautious Pepys must have fallen head over heels in love with the charming French girl, for he knew that she was dowerless, without influential relations, and absolutely dependent on him for everything. And I think that it is rather to his credit, considering what outrageous things he **could** say and do, that he never reproached her with her poverty, and only alludes to it once in his Diary. At that time (February 3d, 1664) he writes: "I was cruelly vexed in my mind that all my trouble in this world almost should arise from my disorders in my family and the indiscretion of a wife *that brings me nothing almost* (besides a comely person), but only trouble and discontent." But for the most part the "comely person" made him forget the lack of dower. He was extremely proud of her beauty. "At the

great wedding of Nan Hartlit and Mynheere Roder, which was kept at Goring House, Pepys tell us proudly, "of all the beauties there, my wife was thought the greatest." He describes again and again how very pretty she looked—now in "her new lace whiske—very noble,"—now in black patches, which he allows her to wear for the first time (we see by a close examination of the records that she had already worn them without asking his permission)—now "in light-colored locks, quite white almost, which though it makes her look very pretty," he adds,—“yet not being natural vexes me.” He swells with "majestick pride" when the Earl of Sandwich points out the beautiful Mrs. Pepys to Sir J. Minnes and he compares her, much to her own advantage, with the Queen and the two Princesses.

Pepys was not only proud of his wife's beauty, but very much interested in all that she did. Like most husbands, he cared comparatively little for what she thought or felt. Elizabeth probably knew more about Samuel in a day than Samuel ever guessed about Elizabeth in the whole course of their dual existence. But he was most anxious that her outward behavior should be exemplary, discreet, and dignified, and in every way becoming the wife of Mr. Secretary Pepys. He is shocked at her bad spelling (though he is surely not the one to throw that stone!) and criticises so severely her letters to "My Lady" and Mademoiselle that Mrs. Pepys (who had the feminine faculty of getting the last word, or its equivalent) refused to write to them at all. He has her take dancing lessons (which are very much to her taste), and has her taught to play on the "viell" and ageolet. Loving music himself with all the passion of his perfervid nature, he is most anxious that she should learn to sing. But, alas! the "poor wretch" has no ear, and vexes him most cruelly by always singing a semitone too high or too low. "Her ear is so bad"—he writes at one time—"that it made me angry till the poor wretch cried to see me so vexed at her, that I think I shall not discourage her so much again, but will endeavor to make her understand sounds, and do her good that way." His kindness was rewarded with a certain degree of success, and Mrs. Pepys was soon able to join in those moonlight concerts on the leads or in the garden, which delighted her husband and attracted the

pleased attention of all their neighbors in Seething Lane. Mrs. Pepys was very clever and quick to learn, and as for Samuel, he dearly loved to impart knowledge. Next to his rage for hearing, was his rage for telling, some new thing. He buys "a payre of globes," costing £3, 10s, and teaches his wife geography, "which," he says, "she takes very prettily and with much pleasure to her and to me." But their most prolonged and vigorous "bouts," as he calls them, were in the study of mathematics. These lessons seem to have been more pleasant and profitable to the teacher than to the scholar, and he finally decides to give them up. "She is come," he says, "to do Addition, Subtraction, and Multiplication very well, and so I purpose not to trouble her yet with Division." Like most women, she never mastered the art of book-keeping, and we find Pepys at one time in a rage over her accounts. They "seemed somewhat doubtful, though she did make it pretty plain, but confessed that when she did misse a sum, she did add something to other things to make it." Which certainly suggests want of system, if not honesty, and still vaguely reminds one of some other more important accounts, namely, those sent in from the Navy Office to the Parliament, very much over-stating the actual cost of the Dutch war.

Mrs. Pepys excelled in the lighter accomplishments, and especially in drawing and painting. This was her principal amusement while exiled to Greenwich during the plague, and Mr. Pepys takes great delight in her rapid progress: She was ignorant, it seems, of "the rules of perspective" and "the principles of lines." but was very proficient in other respects. Pepys at first describes her painting as "very curious," but his enthusiasm rises in a perfect crescendo. He warmly commends a "fine woman's Persian head, mighty finely done;" he delights in showing his wife's pictures to the Penns, which "did mad Pegg Pen, who learned of the same man, but could not do so well;" and he finally declares that "her drawing pleases him beyond anything else in the world." Only a little later, however, we find Pepys very angry to see his wife "minding of her paynting and not thinking of her house business."

His wife must be above all else a good housekeeper, and he conscientiously does his best to discourage idleness and

gadding about. Even in the days of his prosperity he speaks with pleasure of her working "like a drudge," or "like a horse," "minding her work so well," and busying herself about the house; and looks back half regretfully to the time when she used to "make coal fires and wash his foul clothes" with her own fair hands. In the days of their first housekeeping industry and economy were absolutely necessary. Pepys was only a clerk in the Exchequer, and though already "esteemed rich," they were really very poor. They lived in a garret in Axe Yard, off King street, Westminster, and kept but one maid, and even that was a somewhat uncertain quantity. Shoe-buckles, periwigs, pearl necklaces, "noble camelott cloaks," and goodly "moyre petticoats" were quite beyond their means; and even the necessities of life were not always easy of acquisition. At one time Pepys had to borrow money to pay his rent; at another they had not one coal of fire in the house, though it was "hard, frosty weather," and Mrs. Pepys had to go to her mother-in-law's for dinner. They dine out, here, there, and everywhere, with a zest and constancy that suggest a rather limited larder at home; and Pepys notes with pride the appearance on their table of a "good surloyne of rost beefe, the first that ever I had of my own buying since I kept house." Even when they are able to give a feast, they have to borrow for the occasion "My Lord's lodging" and Mrs. Pepys prepares almost everything herself, sitting up "making of her tarts and larding of her pullets till eleven o'clock." At another time Pepys comes home at nine o'clock to find his "wife and mayde still a-washing;" and Mrs. Pepys bakes her own pies and tarts (a "little over-baking" them sometimes), makes her own "marmalatt of quinces," and even kills her turkeys with her own hand.

Pepys' promotion was rapid, and very soon they remove to their house in Seething Lane,—quarters so large and commodious that Mr. Pepys had been greatly afraid that some other official would cozen him out of them. Here they live in great comfort and growing luxury, building additions to their house and embellishing it with carved wood, rich hangings, costly plates, and valuable portraits. They are attired now, in the height of the fashion (for in their love of clothes Mr. Secretary and his wife were indeed one heart, one soul), they keep

several servants, and when they walk out their "boy" carries a link before them, and W. Hewer, Mr. Pepys secretary, leads Mrs. Pepys by the hand. The time soon comes when they seldom walk and "are ashamed to be seen in a hackney coach," but ride in state in their own carriage, as befits people of such wealth and quality. Pepys enlarges his library and makes collections of stamps, and plate and ballads, and various other interesting things. He indulges in shoe-buckles and periwigs, in lace bands, and gorgeous clothes of every kind. Mrs. Pepys also "dights her in array," and displays to the curious eyes of her friends no less than two pearl necklaces; and they both have their portraits painted, not once or twice, but many times, by Savile and Hayls and Sir Godfrey Kneller, too. Mrs. Pepys is painted as St. Catherine, which seems an inappropriate choice for an unlearned and rather worldly lady, till we discover that it was quite the fashion in those days to be painted so, out of compliment to the Queen, Catherine of Braganza. Mrs. Pepys determines to keep a companion, and months are spent in search of one. Her husband seems strangely unwilling to indulge her in this regard. He acknowledges that she ought to have one, that she is too much alone, and that loneliness and the lack of occupation lead her into all sorts of follies. But he dreads the expense, and is not sure of finding the right person for the place. This long deliberation, this uncertainty, and indecision, are very strange, quite unlike Mr. Pepys' usual method of transacting business. Finally he agrees to take one of two young ladies, the Misses Gosnell; and she is so pretty, so well bred, and has such a charming voice, that Pepys is even more delighted than his wife, and stays at home so much more than usual that Mrs. Pepys' jealousy is aroused. But any possible catastrophe is averted by the sudden departure of Mistress Gosnell, who appears a short time afterwards as one of the actresses of the Duke of York's theatre, taking parts formerly played by Mrs. Betterton. Mistress Gosnell is only one of an infinite number of servants of varying degrees of competency and incompetency who passed in rapid succession through the Pepys house. There was Susan, who left them to go next door to Sir William Penn's, and who enraged the Pepys by discussing their private affairs with her new mistress; and Bess, whom they

"both loved" but feared to promote for fear of "making a bad chambermayde of a very good-natured and sufficient cook-mayde;" and Luce, a "good drudging servant" in everything but getting drunk; and Jane Birch, who served them long and faithfully and finally married their man Tom, etc., etc., *ad nauseam*.

Pepys' accounts of his servants are almost as amusing as his criticisms of sermons. But they give us a shocking picture of domestic convulsions worthy of the twentieth century. It sounds like a bit of contemporary gossip when we hear that one maid left because she had all the work to do, and the next because there were too many servants and she wanted to live in a tradesman's house, where there was but one maid." And when another leaves, and it was hard to tell **why** she left, "but only her not desiring to stay that she do go now!" We have a fellow feeling for Pepys, too, when he decides to give Hannah very high wages, £4 a year, "hoping it will be nothing lost by keeping a good cook," and when Hannah turns out no sort of a cook at all and very dishonest. In August, 1663, there is a domestic crisis—Crisis No. 1093, as the Cambridge Trifler would say. Hannah, accused of stealing a "gorgett" of their old mayde Susan's—actually discovered with it around her neck—declared "in a huff" that she would "be gone that night," and left in a quarter of an hour. "Being much amused at this to have never a maid but Ashwell that we do not intend to keep, nor a boy, and my wife and I being left for an hour alone in the house," Pepys writes, "I grew very melancholy," and so went forth in search of another maid. Returning home from his bootless quest, he finds a "sad distracted house, which troubled him." Two days later his wife is "almost mad with Susan's tricks, and is forced to let her go, leaving the house all in dirt and *the clothes all wet*;" and the next day still another of these ephemeral creatures, "a parish child," who had just been cleansed and clothed, "ran away from Goody Taylour that was showing her the way to the bakehouse." Has any modern house-keeper had more sudden or untoward vicissitudes? In reading the troubled tale of the Pepys' housekeeping we see plainly that domestic difficulties are like the poor, in being "always with us."

But there are many differences between the servants of the Pepys household and the servants of the present day. Picture to yourself any modern housekeeper romping with her domestics till long after midnight, as Mrs. Pepys often did, or any modern householder "basting the girl with a broom," or boxing his boy's ears merely for throwing his cloak over his shoulder! Imagine any maid-servant sitting by her master's bedside late at night mending his clothes,—or accepting sixpence as a reward for an unusually well cooked dinner,—or getting up at two o'clock in the morning to begin the washing!

There are many strange things in the household economy of the Pepys family, but strangest of all are the wash-days. They are not only few and far between, but they occur at the most irregular intervals. Mrs. Pepys' housekeeping seems to have been altogether impulsive and inspirational. If she wanted new hangings in her "closett" she would work "like a horse" night and day, until she got them; if a "noble feast" was in prospect, she would not give sleep to her eyes nor slumber to her eyelids until the whole house was in order and her pantry filled with "dainty cakes" of her own devising. On the other hand, if the weather was fine, and she felt moved to go down the river to Greenwich, or off on a long riding trip with her husband, or if dancing or painting absorbed her thoughts, her house would be left in disorder, her clothes thrown carelessly about, and all her domestic duties sadly neglected. She was very French and very volatile, and she knew nothing of that "noble chemistry which turns duty into pleasure, and makes us *love* to do what we *have* to do." And so the wash-day came, not as a regular part of the weekly routine, but as a crisis, almost a catastrophe,—not at any stated interval, but apparently "by stern necessity's order," when all the clean linen had been exhausted, and something absolutely *had* to be done. It seems to have been a great event in the household. (Though we need not unduly magnify its importance by saying that Pepys always chronicled its return, for he did not hesitate to record for three hundred and sixty-five days in every year the far less startling fact that he went to bed.) Preparatory to this great event, Mrs. Pepys was accustomed to sit up till two o'clock "to call the

wench for the wash;" and great was her indignation when one particularly lazy servant did not get up until four in the morning. Again and again Mr. Pepys came home late at night to find his "poor wife at work and the house foule" or the whole house "in a washing pickle;" and one of their first and bitterest quarrels was occasioned by the thoughtless young husband inviting guests for dinner on one of those washing-days. That was on the tenth of February, 1663. They had taken dinner at their Uncle Wight's, and Pepys, in a burst of reciprocal hospitality, "invited them to his house to eat a roasted swan on Tuesday next, which, after I did come," he writes, "did make a quarrel between my wife and I because she had appointed a wash to-morrow." I do not know that he, to use his own expression, "uninvited" them, but I think he never repeated that experiment. Though, alas! and alas! quarrels soon became all too frequent in the Pepys family.

Eliza C. McKnight.

Constitution and By-Laws of Alumnae Association.

ARTICLE I.

Section 1. This Association shall be known and designated as "**Alumnae Association of the Pennsylvania College for Women.**"

Sec. 2. The object of the Association is to further the interests of the College of Pennsylvania and of education in general, and to promote the mutual intercourse and fellowship of the members.

ARTICLE II.

Section 1. The Association shall consist of Active, Honorary and Associate members.

Sec. 2. The Active members shall include every graduate of said College.

Sec. 3. The Honorary members shall include the members of the Faculty of at least three years' standing, and the Board of Trustees of the said College, ex-officio, and persons who may be elected Honorary members by a two-thirds vote of the members present at the Annual Business Meeting.

Sec. 4. The Honorary members shall have all privileges except that of holding office and voting.

Sec. 5. The Associate members shall have all the privileges of the Association except that of attendance upon Business Meetings of the Alumnæ Association.

ARTICLE III.

Section 1. It shall be the prime duty of each active member to keep the Secretary informed of her address and of all facts regarding herself and other members proper to be included in the permanent records of the Association.

ARTICLE IV.

Section 1. The officers of the Association shall be a President, a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer. They shall be elected by a majority and shall hold office for one year, or until their successors are elected.

Sec. 2. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Association, and shall perform all the other duties devolving on such an office.

Sec. 3. The Vice President shall at all times aid the President in the discharge of her duties and in the absence or disability of the President, shall perform all her duties herein prescribed.

Sec. 4. The Secretary shall keep the minutes of the Association, shall notify officers and committees of their election or appointment, and shall perform the general duties appertaining to the office of Secretary. It shall be her duty to ascertain each year the names, addresses and careers of New, Active and Honorary members, and to enter them on the roll and minutes of the next meeting after the graduation of the said new members; she shall also, after due consideration and consultation with the President of the College, issue all the notices for annual and special meetings.

Sec. 5. The Treasurer shall collect, and under direction of the Association disburse, all funds. She shall report at the annual meeting and oftener if required.

Sec. 6. Two editors shall be annually elected by a two-thirds (2-3) vote of the Association, with a sub-committee of two business editors. This committee shall annually edit and publish **The Alumnæ Recorder** of the Association, in which shall be answered any questions asked in regard to other mem-

bers that is possible to answer, with such further facts regarding the individual members and other general matters of interest to the Association and appropriate to its objects, as may be deemed practicable and proper.

ARTICLE V.

Section 1. The Annual Business Meeting of the Association shall take place at the College on the Friday preceding the commencement day exercises, or at such other time near said date as the Faculty of the College shall appoint. Notice thereof shall be mailed to all members whose addresses are known at least seven days in advance.

Sec. 2. Special Business Meetings may be called by the President at any time, and on the written request of five members such meetings must be called, provided that no business shall be transacted at any special meeting unless substantially specified in the notices mailed to all members whose addresses are known, at least seven days in advance.

Sec. 3. Ten members shall constitute a quorum of the Association at any meeting, but any less number shall have power to adjourn any regularly called meeting to a subsequent date with or without further notice to the members at large, and at such adjourned meeting any business may be transacted that might have been transacted at the original meeting called, and upon due notice as aforesaid.

Sec. 4. The President may at her own discretion call and arrange for such reunions, banquets or other social meetings of the Association as may be deemed expedient at any time, providing for the expenses of the same out of the funds in the treasury, or by general assessment, or by special charge to persons attending the same.

ARTICLE VI.

Section 1. There shall be no initiation fee.

Sec. 2. There shall be an annual due of one dollar paid by each Active member.

Sec. 3. Assessments may be levied by a two-thirds (2-3) vote of the members present at any business meeting of the Association.

Sec. 4. Honorary members shall not be liable to any dues, fees or assessments whatsoever.

By-Laws.

Art. 1. The orders of business at the annual meeting of the Association shall be as follows:

1. Roll Call.
2. Reading of Minutes.
3. Receiving New Members.
4. President's Address.
5. Report of Committees.
6. Unfinished Business.
7. New Business.
8. Elections.
9. Adjournment.

June 1, 1893, submitted by the Committee,

Mrs. W. S. Miller,
Mrs. S. D. Warmcastle.

June 2, 1893, approved by Alumnæ.

ALUMNÆ MINUTES.

Minutes of the Annual Meeting of the Alumnae Association, Pennsylvania College for Women, June 6th, 1902.

The regular business meeting of the Alumnae Association was held in Dilworth Hall, June 6, 1902, and was called to order by the President, Mrs. Stevenson. After minutes of preceding meeting had been read and approved, a motion was made that the roll call be postponed till the close of the meeting. Carried.

On motion, the Association admitted to membership the Class of 1902, consisting of Miss Mary Blair, Miss Elsie Braun, Miss Helen Dickey, Miss Annie Houston, Miss Grace Kingsbury, Miss Clara Littell, Miss Annie Montgomery, Miss Margaret McClelland, Miss Margaret McKinney, Miss Helen Sherrard, Miss Mary Shrom, Miss Edith Stanton, and Miss Elizabeth Van Wagener.

The President graciously welcomed the new members and then addressed the Association in a short review of past

achievements and an appeal for further activity in College interests.

Miss Bard rendered the Treasurer's report: Receipts, \$102.22; disbursements, \$43.39, leaving a balance April 30, 1902, of \$58.83. The report was approved.

Miss Bard suggested that an additional committee be appointed. After some discussion motion was made that the President, or her appointee, audit the Treasurer's account. Carried.

The Scholarship Committee had no report to make of their finances, but mentioned that Miss Ruth Johnstin had been granted the scholarship, and that the committee were well pleased with her work, which was excellent in all departments.

Mrs. Spencer reported for the Committee on College Colors that no change should be made—the hood to be lined with purple with two white chevrons. On motion, the report was accepted.

Under new business Miss Clark moved that the following be admitted to honorary membership in the Association: Miss Frances King, a former student of the College and five years a member of Faculty, and Mrs. John I. Nevin, in recognition of her interest in the College. Carried.

After discussion, motion was made that the Association give to the Scholarship Fund two-thirds of the balance in the Treasury, all bills being paid. Carried.

Mrs. Watson, of the Nominating Committee, moved that that committee hereafter consist of five instead of three. Carried.

Mrs. Kerr moved that the President be an Active member of that committee. After discussion the motion was carried. The committee then made their report, submitting two names for each office. Mrs. Porter declined nomination and Mrs. Kerr was unanimously chosen President by acclamation. The following ticket was elected by ballot:

Vice President—Mrs. Hay.

Secretary—Mrs. Armstrong.

Treasurer—Miss Bard.

Recorder Board—Miss Bruce, Miss Riggs, Miss Shellenberg and Mrs. Gordon Fisher.

President Martin made a few remarks and extended to the Association an invitation to the Art Reception in progress in the studio. Motion to have pictures taken of the Association was carried, with the suggestion that they be given a place in the next Recorder.

Forty-two Active and three Honorary members responded to roll call.

On motion the Alumnae Association adjourned.

Elizabeth B. Armstrong, Secretary.

Minutes of a Special Meeting of the Alumnae Association, February 18, 1903.

At the call of the Vice President, a special meeting of the Alumnae Association was held February 18, 1903.

In the absence of the Vice President, Mrs. Miller was made chairman, and explained the object of the meeting, viz., to elect a President in place of Mrs. Kerr, who had been removed by death, a Vice President, Mrs. Hay, having resigned, and two members of the Recorder Board, resignations having been received from Miss Shellenberg and Miss Bruce. Nominations were made from the floor and the election was as follows:

President—Miss Edeburn.

Vice President—Mrs. Spencer.

Recorder Editors—Miss Houston and Miss Stanton.

Suggestion was made that the Association take action on the death of Mrs. Kerr, and on motion Miss Edeburn, Miss Clark and Mrs. Stone were appointed a committee to prepare resolutions to be sent to Mrs. Kerr's family and to be published in the Recorder.

Mrs. Stone presented plans of the Decade Club for the improvement of the financial condition of the College. This was followed by a statement from Mrs. Miller, including a report from the Executive Committee of the Board. The suggestion was made that a committee be appointed but action be deferred until conference with the Board had been held.

Motion was made that all money raised by the Alumnae Association constitute a fund known as the "Emilie Dicken Kerr Memorial Fund." Motion carried.

Motion was also made that the aforesaid committee consist of five members—one from each decade, two from the Decade Club. Carried.

The Secretary asked for instruction concerning notices sent to members. Motion was made that Honorary members not be invited to the business meeting in June, 1903. Carried.

Motion was made that a committee be appointed to consider amendments to clauses in constitution concerning honorary and associate members, to investigate the subject, the custom at other colleges, etc. Carried. The President appointed Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Spencer.

The Treasurer reported fifty dollars (\$50.00) still in her hands to be paid over to the Scholarship Committee in accordance with the action of June, 1902.

On motion, the Association adjourned.

Elizabeth B. Armstrong, Secretary.

Treasurer's Report of Alumnae Association for Year Ending April 30, 1903.

Receipts.

Balance on hand May 1, 1902.....	\$ 58 83
Annual Fees	80 00
Interest on Deposit	2 56
	—————\$141 39

Disbursements.

1902.	
May 16—Treasurer's Postals	\$ 3 00
300 Recorders	50 00
July 8—Secretary's Postals	3 25
July 14—Editor's Expenses	6 15
1903.	
Mar. 11—To Miss Bonnett, for Scholarship...	50 00
Flowers to Mrs. Kerr.....	10 00
C. Y. W. C. A. for Room.....	1 00
For Printing Postals	2 50
	—————
	125 90
Balance, April 30, 1903.	
In Bank	\$ 13 09
On hand	2 40— 15 49
	—————\$141 39

Respectfully submitted.

Eva Morehead Bard, Treasurer.

Audited, April 14.

Edith L. Edeburn, President.

ALUMNAE RECORDER.

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Anne McCutcheon Houston, '02 ;

Edith Nichoson Stanton, '02 ;

Mrs. Gordon Fisher, '97 ;

Elizabeth Riggs, '89.

June, 1903.

EDITORIAL.

There once were some girls at the College,
Whose brains were so crammed full of knowledge,
They continued to spout, to preach and to shout
Till we all wshed them back in their doll-age.

To reach the day when the Alumnae Association opens her arms and bids the college graduate welcome—when the diploma is signed and the great red seal is still undimmed “with age and lost illusions” is the college girl’s ambition. To have Marcus Aurelius on one’s desk for daily reading, to admire the cynicism of Schopenhauer, even though his opinion of women was far from flattering—this is the fairest dream of the fairest graduate. Then she aspires to organize clubs, to undertake civic and political reform, to stand for education; to prefer Wagner’s fire and sword motifs and the ever-recurring monotonous theme of Bach’s Fugue; to find in Walt Whitman’s “Blade of Grass” and in Browning’s “Ring and the Book,” rest from incessant, ponderous thinking and reading. Full of unsatisfied ambition, she rushes wildly and madly after the unattainable, knowing—

“No one can acquire for another—not one,
No one can grow for another—not one.”

Why do we find all this madness? Because the women of to-day must know music, theoretically at least: must be able to drive a golf ball a hundred and fifty yards; must swim, sit a horse well, be versed in every political movement: be in sympathy with all reform: know something of the "whither goeth whence:" must rush from meteorology to minerology with a little sociology between: must know much of metaphysics,—be interested in the causes tending to fluctuate the stock market: know the philosophy of trusts, while her knowledge of literature, ancient and modern, must be without limit. She must dress well, smile sweetly, be jolly.

From Vassar, Pennsylvania, Smith, Wellesley, come the pale-faced, hollow-eyed, thoughtful maids to revolutionize the system of education and the habits of the great "lords of creation." But when these worldly hopes they set their hearts upon, turn to ashes, will they not find that to have had more laughter in their lives, more sympathy with the brainless sister who finds pleasure in rag-time and coon songs, and who believes that Guilbert and Ben King wrote poetry, would have been more profitable? Will they not find that Sympathy, Humanity and Happiness, form a trinity as desirable as Arrogance, Erudition and Stoicism: that it is better to make the world happier than wiser, and will they not then realize that there is nothing higher in this life than being the mothers of men?

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A History of the Colloquium.

[The following history of Colloquium was read at the fifth anniversary of the club, April 21, 1903, by the author, Mrs. Seymour.—Editors.]

When asked to give a history of Colloquium for this occasion, I was reminded of the small boy, who when asked by his father at night, "What have you been doing since morning, my boy? Give me a history of your day," replied, "Little boys don't have a history, papa, only grown-up men." I said Colloquium is only a child in the club world. Has it a history?

It is universally conceded that this is woman's age. The

period of her greatest opportunity to be or to achieve. Perhaps it was realizing this, and having a vague intuition that there was almost no position of honor or responsibility she might not attain to, that caused such a wave of enthusiasm in the study of Parliamentary Law to take possession of the feminine mind in the closing years of the century just ended.

A woman without a club had become an anomaly, and she was more than likely in the pursuance of church, civic or club life, to find herself in the chair, presiding at some meeting; hence the necessity of some knowledge of Parliamentary Law.

In the early fall of 1898, the Helen E. Pelletreau Scholarship Committee of the Pennsylvania College for Women arranged for a course of lectures on this subject, to be given at the college, by Mrs. David Kirk, and about twenty women, members of the faculty, of the Alumnae Association, and some outsiders availed themselves of this opportunity to become better acquainted with Parliamentary usage. At the close of the course there was a general feeling that the knowledge gained, to be of any value, must be put into practice. Several meetings were held for Parliamentary drill, the discussion of current topics, and subjects of general interest. In February a Committee was appointed to present at next meeting a scheme for organization. Of this committee, Miss Devore, then President of the Pennsylvania College for Women, was chairman. Two weeks from that time a constitution and by-laws were submitted and adopted and a Committee on Nominations for officers named. In April we became a full fledged club, with officers and a Board of Directors. Deeming it true, as some one has said that "reciprocity of mind is social culture," Colloquium seemed a fitting name for the club.

The lords of creation in our households smiled and said, "It is well that the dear women should plainly acknowledge that they meet to talk." In these days of mad rush and continuous activity, when there is always a latest book to read, some philanthropy demanding one's thoughts and energies, conversation as known in the salons of Madame de Stael and Madame Re Camier is acknowledged to be a lost art.

Miss Devore was chosen as our first President, and I say without hesitation that it was her enthusiasm and her ardent desire to see The Pennsylvania College for Women take rank

with the foremost colleges in the land, that gave the first impetus to Colloquium. The underlying thought of the faculty and of the alumnae, who formed so large a proportion of the original membership, was that the club should be an ally and an influence in the community to promote its prosperity.

The meetings have always been held alternately at the college and at the homes of the members. Our loyalty was further shown by adopting the college colors. We are always ready to welcome to membership new members of the faculty and the alumnae.

The main subjects of study and discussion for the first year were the constitutional history of America and the growth of American literature. Papers were read or informal talks given on the conditions in England that led to the settlement of New England, Politics and Puritans in New England,—Organization of the Virginia Colony,—The Dutch in New York, The Friends in Pennsylvania, The Catholics and Huguenots in Maryland, and kindred subjects, thus helping us to brush up our knowledge of the early history of our country and bring us in touch with those who laid the foundations of its greatness.

Franklin was presented to us as scientist and inventor, as statesman and man of affairs, as educator and writer, and we all wished these monographs could be safely stowed away in memory.

A broad view of the factors leading to the Revolution took us into the stormy atmosphere of that period. We were brought under the spell of its orators, and our patriotism was stirred anew by a study of the Declaration of Independence. For a brief hour we devoted our thought to Washington—the man, the soldier, the statesman—while his many gallantries and charming love affairs were not forgotten, and again delightful pictures of those gracious dames of Revolutionary fame—Lady Winthrop, Martha Washington, Dolly Madison and Sally Hancock—claimed our attention.

To round out the year's pleasant study, Dr. Edwin Sparks, of Chicago University, spoke to the club most delightfully on the Makers of the Constitution.

The second year the club devoted to the study of France—her history, literature and art. Carefully prepared talks

presented to us the Makers of France, and gave us a broad view of her political life. We were brought in touch with her beautiful women in court and salon and looked with horror upon that black page of her history, writ in blood, when Revolution and terror swept the land, when her great men and great women were as puppets, the sport of the powers of darkness. Anon we wandered in her cathedrals, her palaces and gardens; dwelt upon their beauties of architecture and their gems of art; watched the man of Destiny, the idol of France as he came upon the stage, and enacted his great part in the drama of history. We have delved among her art treasures, and done homage to her men of letters.

The season of 1901 found those members of Colloquiem, who were responsible for the programme, hard at work, trying to compass within the sixteen meetings of that year, a comprehensive and exhaustive (I almost said exhausting) knowledge of the great White Empire, from its beginning in the hazy myths of the past, to the Russia of to-day, focusing our thought now upon its development and progress in civilization, and now upon the horrors of Siberia and its exile system, debating upon the evils that menace its prosperity, discussing its position in the commercial world and its relations with Foreign Powers. The necessarily rather heavy programs were lightened by delightfully rendered Russian music and the reading of choice selections from the writings of Russian poets and novelists.

The fourth year was planned along broader lines and embraced a wider range of subjects. One day was devoted to Pittsburgh—its architecture, its commercial prominence and its famous men; while its authors and musicians furnished quotations and delightful music. Another day was given to Pennsylvania—its historical landmarks, the crises in its history and its famous men, not forgetting to note the work of its women's clubs.

The late war and more recent troubles in China made it seem interesting and profitable to give some time to the study of that country, and its neighbor in the Orient—Japan, as well as to our new possessions in the Philippines. Delightful papers on The American Stage, Richard Wagner as a Degenerate, Modern Mural Decorations, Women Composers of the

Past Century, and Modern Orchestra Composers found in us from time to time most interested listeners, and the discussions on Ethics and the Development of Trade called forth a breezy expression of opinion.

At the present we are thoroughly enjoying the study of Modern English Literature, recalling memories of old friends, bringing fresh appreciation to the stories and the sweet songs of poets, loved since school days. A recent talk on Oriental rugs, illustrated by choice specimens, showing the special characteristics of weave and design of different varieties, was most interesting.

Music has been a much enjoyed feature of each programme for the past two years. Talks on composers have been illustrated by their music. Through our Music Committee (and I think she must possess persuasive powers of very high order), we have had the pleasure of listening from time to time to many of our representative local musicians. They have delightfully entertained us and as a club we are greatly indebted to them for their kindness in thus contributing to our pleasure.

Current topics and bright reviews of late books have given opportunity for free discussion and a lively interchange of opinions.

In 1899, wishing to enjoy whatever benefits might result from union with other clubs, we entered the State and National Federation. Desiring to retain the social character of the club and to keep it small enough to be entertained in the homes, the membership was limited to fifty. Changes in the faculty of the college have taken from us valued members, whom we felt were a great loss to us socially and intellectually. We especially deplored losing Miss Devore, as her wide scholarship made us look to her as a leader.

In January last, Mrs. Charles Henry Kerr passed into the great Beyond. She had been an officer in the club, and from its beginning a most helpful member, always ready to give of her time and energy to promote its interests.

And now, what of the history of Colloquium? Has it been told? I have tried to outline, in a few words, the scheme of study pursued by the club, which has resulted in hard study, carefully prepared talks, and volumes of facts hurled

at the hearers. Members have risen to their point of privilege and agreed with the speaker, or disagreed, as prejudice or their view of the subject has determined. "The fight has always been a peaceful one and this the spoil to the victor," "No truth is so sublime it may not be trivial in the light of tomorrow's thought."

Perfect harmony has always prevailed in our club life—no factions, no petty strife for preferment. Emerson has said, "Every man is not so much a worker as a suggestion of that he should be," and the advantage of contact in the club has been not so much the positive knowledge gained as the suggestion of what life may be with a broad intellectual outlook and the perfect working out of the principles of Twentieth Century Humanism. The point of view always determines one's attitude toward life. In debate, in discussion of events and questions in ethics, in our delightful interchange of thought over the teacups, we have looked at history, art and literature from each other's point of view, and our horizon of thought has been widened.

Organized as a purely literary club, we have not taken much part in those movements looking toward the betterment of social conditions, nor have we aimed to reform the world.

We have been represented in the Consumer's League, and contributed a little, both in the way of service and money, to the work among the children in the summer play-grounds.

We are proud of Colloquium. The Irishman said, "A man loves his native country, whether he was born there or not." So all our members are loyal to Colloquium, though their earlier affiliation may have been with other clubs. In the five years we have made our place in the club world.

Now, in a word, Colloquium stands for a better appreciation and a more loyal support of the Pennsylvania College for Women, for a broader culture for women, and for a wider interest in the world's progress.

Mrs. S. L. Seymour.

IN MEMORIAM.

**Action of the Alumnae Association of Pennsylvania College
for Women at a Called Meeting, February 18, 1903,
Relative to the Death of the President,
Mrs. Charles Henry Kerr, Which
Occurred January 19.**

Words are but poor emblems by which to represent the feelings of the heart; yet in no other way than by their use can we convey to others our appreciation of the sweetness of a vanished presence or of the value of the work done by busy hands that are now at rest. Much must be left to the sympathy of those who hear us in order that they may realize the depth of feelings which cannot be revealed in words. With this thought in mind we now endeavor to express our sense of what Emilie Dicken Kerr was to her Alma Mater.

Her characteristic traits gave her a peculiar fitness for leadership in the various branches of the Association's work. And to each she gave herself with an earnestness of conviction, a courage in assuming burdens, a perception of ideals to be realized which made her work a rich fruitage of the promise of her earlier years.

In College Emilie was always a favorite, because of the boundless enthusiasm which she showed in performing duty or in sharing pleasure, and because of her abiding loyalty to her Alma Mater and to her friends.

She was greatly beloved by her classmates, and no gathering was complete without her presence. Ninety-six holds her in loving remembrance as one who was a true friend and whose influence will ever live.

In the Decade Club the loss of such a member creates a sensible void. Her quickness of perception, directness of purpose and dignity of character were an inspiration to all who were associated with her.

For several years the Helen E. Pelletreau Scholarship Committee has counted Emilie Dicken Kerr one of its most earnest and devoted workers. She would undertake anything, doing many things that were hard to do that she might arouse in all whom she met an interest in the scholarship fund.

The entire Alumnæ Association mourns the loss of one who ever encouraged its members by her own faithful performance of duty and by her cordial support and friendly counsel.

That such a useful life should so soon be taken from us, that one much needed in the work of the Association should so suddenly be called away is a mystery we cannot solve. But her example of loving devotion to her family, her friends and her Alma Mater will ever be an inspiration to those who carry on the work, leading them in the same pathway of tireless service that they also may hear at the last the Master's "well done!"

Miss Edith Edeburn,

for the Class of '96.

Miss Jane B. Clark,

for the Scholarship Committee.

Mrs. Stephen Stone,

for the Decade Club.

In Memoriam.

We, the Alumnæ and students of Pennsylvania College for Women, place on record the following tribute of love and respect to the memory of Rev. William J. Reid, D.D., L.L.D., who passed away from this life September 22, 1902. We deeply mourn the loss of Dr. Reid. He has been a member of the Board of Trustees from the earliest history of the College, being a charter member, and also President of the Board for many years, which position he filled with dignity and honor. As a trustee he was faithful and interested in the success of the College. He always entered with intelligence and earnestness into the consideration of every question brought before the Board in reference to its welfare. He ever showed a willingness to meet faithfully every responsibility placed upon him. He was a commendable example to all in his fidelity in attending the meetings of the Board and in his remarkable promptness in coming at the moment appointed. As a trustee the College has lost a true friend. His faithfulness and devotion and wise counsel will be missed.

Dr. Reid was a warm and true friend of the teachers of the College. Being a natural-born teacher and having had some experience, he had a practical knowledge of the trials and difficulties in the teacher's profession, as well as its rewards and pleasures. He was always ready to extend sympathy and to give an encouraging word. The Faculty miss him and mourn his loss as a true, sympathetic friend.

Dr. Reid was not less in touch with the students of the College. He was always ready to encourage them in all their efforts to master the studies in which they were engaged. Those who were teachers and students in the '80's and up until the year '93, will recall the many pleasant visits Dr. Reid made to the classes. While the students were somewhat timid at first, Dr. Reid, by his genial, kind and pleasant manner, soon won their confidence and in a short time they were as ready to reply to his questions and to discuss difficult problems with him as with their teachers. He listened as an attentive, childlike learner and evinced special pleasure in the faithfulness and progress of the students.

"He was blind to faults and follies,
He never failed the good to see,
Nor judged by an unseemly bough
The upward-struggling tree."

The students mourn his loss and will miss his warm, friendly greetings and his kind request to read and recite slowly, as "he wished to learn and he was slow to comprehend." The ardent wish of Faculty and students is that Dr. Reid's mantle of kindness and sympathy, especially his delight in visiting the classes at the College, may rest gracefully upon the members of the Board of Trustees.

While we deeply mourn the loss of Dr. Reid as teachers and students, still, our hearts shall breathe the sweet refrain,
"Thy will be done." M.

Engagements.

Miss Nancy S. Acheson, '98, to Mr. Walter Houghton, of Stamford, Conn.

Miss Edith R. Stockton, '97, to Mr. Will M. Alexander.

Marriages.

Miss Frances S. King, to Mr. Paul C. Wolff.

Miss Jennie DeVore, '99, to Mr. George Porter.

Miss Florence C. Aull, '94, to Dr. J. A. Lacock.

Miss Mary Speer, '95, to Mr. Robert Pitcairn Watt.

Miss Mary Hays Christy, '97, to Mr. Walter Wilmot Irving.

Births.

Mrs. H. M. Robertson, '86, a daughter, New Year's Day, 1903.

Mrs. William Stevenson, '94, a son, John Bryant, March 15, 1903.

Mrs. William de Courcey Topley, '96, a daughter, Mary Davidson, May 8, 1903.

PERSONAL.

Miss Margaret McClelland, '02, is teaching in the Alinda School.

Mrs. Charles Hain, '75, sends loving greetings to the friends among the Alumnae.

Miss Helen M. Sands, '01, spent a most delightful six weeks in California this spring.

Miss Elizabeth Hillman, '97, of Shady avenue, has been spending the winter and spring in Boston.

Miss Helen B. Dickey, '02, has been teaching in the Westminster Place School during the past year.

Miss Susanna Riddle, '94, sailed for Europe on April 30. She will spend her time abroad in travel and study.

Mrs. J. Hayward Harlom, '94, writes that she is rejoicing in country life and nature's beauty down in Conawingo, Md.

Mrs. W. H. Vincent, '75, has moved to Youngstown, O., where her husband is pastor of the Third United Presbyterian Church.

Miss Georgiana Negley, '83, is traveling in Europe. She is to visit the principal cities of Italy, France, Germany and England.

Mrs. Paul Wolff started for California about the middle of May. Mrs. Wolff will visit her mother and will be absent indefinitely.

Miss Mary Mackey, '97, and Miss Marguerite Bonnett, '96, have been studying at the State Library School at Albany since October, 1902.

Miss Maud Taylor, '01, who has been employed in the Pittsburg Carnegie Library for the past two years, expects to enter the State Library School at Albany in October.

Miss Mary Blair, '02, who has been in Colorado since June, 1902, has been sadly missed by her classmates this year, but her many friends will be glad to know that she is greatly improved in health.

Miss Edith Stanton, '02, has accepted the position of private secretary to President Hunt, of Denison University, at Granville, O. The best wishes of her many friends go with her.

Miss Elizabeth Van Wagener and Miss Annie D. Montgomery, both of '02, have been doing excellent work this year; the former as a graduate student in Chemistry at Bryn Mawr; the latter, in Philosophy at Cornell.

Miss Isabel Bevier is just completing her third year of service as head of the Department of Household Science in the University of Illinois, where her work is most congenial. Miss Bevier sends cordial remembrances for her friends among the Alumnæ.

Miss Ellen G. Means has been teaching Greek and Latin in the High School, Orange, N. J., during the past winter, but

has given up her position on account of the illness of her mother. Miss Means received her Master's degree in English in 1901 at Columbia University. Her thesis was "The Influence of Milton Upon Eighteenth Century Poetry."

A new club in connection with the Alumnae has been formed this year, namely, The Decade Club II. This club is to include the classes of ten years, beginning with 1901. As yet the club is small, but its members are not lacking in enthusiasm. Meetings are held on the second Friday of each month. The meetings are for the most part social, but a part of the time is devoted to the study of Parliamentary Law. The members are eager to welcome the class of 1903.

Program for Commencement Week, June 5-9, 1902.

Annual Concert, Dilworth Hall, Thursday, June 4th, 8.15 P. M.

Art Exhibition and Reception, the Studio, Friday, June 5th, 3 to 6 P. M.

Annual meeting of the Alumnae Association, Dilworth Hall, Friday, June 5th, 3 P. M.

Alumnae Dinner, Berry House, Friday, June 5th, 6 P. M.

Class Day, The Campus, Saturday, June 6th, 3 P. M. Presentation of "As You Like It," by the Senior Class.

Baccalaureate Sermon by President Martin, Bellefield Presbyterian Church, Fifth avenue, Sunday, June 7th, 11 A. M.

Commencement Exercises—Conferring of Diplomas. Address by Bliss Perry, Editor of the *Atlantic Monthly*, Dilworth Hall, Monday, June 8th, 8 P. M.

President's Reception, Berry House, Monday, June 8th, 10 to 11.30 P. M.



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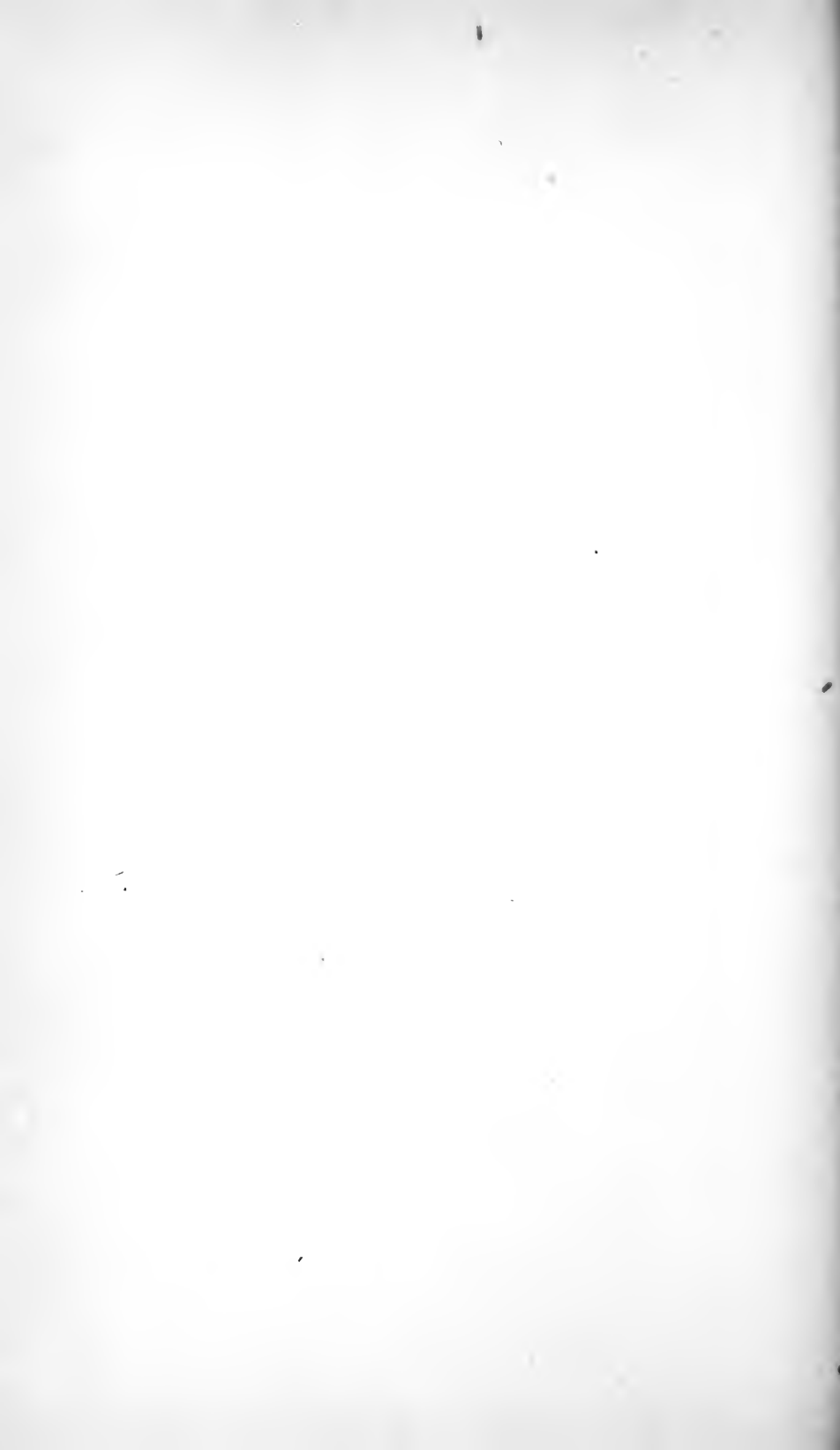
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JUNE, 1904

President's Address.

It seems almost impossible that a year has passed since our last Alumnae Day, yet I believe there has never been a year when so much has been accomplished for this College. The prospect is much brighter than it was at the time of our last meeting when the movement toward endowment was just starting. The gift of the organ this year is very gratifying, for unless the friends of the College had faith in its success they would not make such gifts as this. It is the more encouraging when we think that it is merely the beginning of improvements which will be made if the interest increases this next year as it has in the year just past.

It is humiliating to find how little P. C. W. has been recognised as a College until the past year. In our own city many have known that there was a school here on the hill top, but are surprised to learn that it is a College, with a standard as high as that of the well known Women's Colleges in the east. They have thought its course much the same as high school and young ladies seminary courses. This is probably owing to the large number of students in the preparatory department, in comparison with the number in the College proper, and the impression is fortunately being corrected now.

The College has been brought before the people of Pittsburg this year more prominently than ever before, with noticeable effect ; many who have known very little about it until recently, and cared less, have become interested at least to the extent of hoping that the endowment will be raised, and some have subscribed quite liberally. The subscription list is growing, not very rapidly, perhaps, but steadily, and the out-look for the future is hopeful. We must not expect great things to happen in a day, nor an endowment to be pledged in a year. While fifty thousand dollars, I believe that is about the amount subscribed now, does not seem like a very large sum for the purpose at hand, the raising of this is not all that has been done. Dr. Martin, though he has been with us only this year, appreciates what a wonderful future this College should have, and misses no opportunity of presenting the cause to the people ; some of the board are indefatigable workers, and the Alumnae have not been behind in their efforts. As a result, friends of our Alma Mater have become more interested, and are anxious to see her prosper, and some of them promise to subscribe liberally when they see that the effort is a serious one.

We have probable pledged all we can in money, toward the endowment, and now what is needed is our energy exerted for the same object. Our Alma Mater needs the encouragement of not only a few of her children, but of all of them. She needs that particular form of enthusiasm known as " College Spirit " which is so strong in the hearts of graduates of many Colleges. She needs to feel that we are faithful, that we have strength to stick to our purpose of giving her an honorable place among her sister Colleges.

After starting a movement toward this end giving her a promise of happy times to come, we must continue heartily in the enterprise, so that it may have no chance of failure. Each one of us has more or less influence ; let us during this next year exert our best powers for one College. Women somehow acquired the reputations of being talkers, and what can be better if they have something worth talking about ? We have something for which we should be able to talk to good advantage, not criticising the methods of others, as I am afraid we are

prone to do, but entering heartily unto the plans of those who are doing the lion's share of the work, and showing them that we are not only willing but able to do our share. "Behold what a matter a little fire kindleth." Why should not enthusiastic words for Pennsylvania College; spoken by us where ever we may be, bring in many shining dollars, and win students to fill up these halls?

Certainly the way to gain the interest of others is to show that we are interested ourselves. I wonder if any of you stayed away from the Faculty Reception last winter because you did not like to climb the hill? Certainly those who attended found it a very delightful opportunity of coming in touch with those who are actively connected with the College now, and vitally interested in it. There are very few of us who cannot come to Chapel at least once during the year, and those who do it are amply repaid for the little exertion it takes. These may be little things, but their influence reaches farther than we think. If all will pay attention to these trifles instead of three or four, people will soon come to feel that we are loyal, truly and constantly loyal, and they will hold in higher honor that Alma Mater whose interest we have at heart, while we will be happily conscious of having in our own little way done her a good which will last long after our places here have been filled by others.

Edith L. Edeburn.

Toasts.

After the business of the Alumnæ had been concluded, and the motion to adjourn had been passed, the old girls gathered in groups, here and there, through the halls, parlors, nooks and corners of the College building, only to assemble again, when the President of the College and the President of the Alumnæ led the march into the dining-room.

After enjoying an exceptionally good dinner, Miss Edeburn, in a most pleasing manner, introduced Mrs. Mellor, who very happily welcomed the Class of 1903, telling them of their privileges, but reminding them also of their duties in becoming members of the Alumnæ Miss Duff, as president of her class, responded cleverly.

Dr. Martin was next introduced, and produced a ripple of amusement throughout the dining-room with his anecdotes. He closed his remarks with a brief, but earnest toast to the College—wishing for her the best of all things, and for her President surpassing wisdom in all things.

Mrs. George Porter then spoke on the subject of "College Note-Books," referring to them as old friends that we may take with us out into the world—and comparing our lives to our note-books—oft times incomplete, marred, erased, and wishing for better things for the College and her children, the Alumnæ.

The evening closed with the singing of the College Song.

COLLEGE SONG.

Tune—Auld Lang Syne.

Our Alma Mater sits enthroned
Above the hurrying town ;
The changeful years have never dimmed
The glory of her crown.
She keeps the white without a stain,
The purple queenly still,
While countless hearts look up to her—
The College on the hill.

A constant throng with backward gaze
Pass out the well-known door ;
The world lets some return again,
But many nevermore.
Yet though the path winds far from her,
Their feet can never stray ;
Their Alma Mater guides them still,
A thousand miles away.

Each year new voices swell her praise,
Some well-loved face is gone ;
Death calls us to him one by one,
But still the song goes on.
As long as Pennsylvania keeps
Her watch-fire burning bright,
Shall Pennsylvania's daughters sing
The purple and the white.

Constitution and By-Laws of Alumnae Association.

ARTICLE I.

Section 1. This Association shall be known and designated as "Alumnae Association of the Pennsylvania College for Women."

Sec. 2. The object of the Association is to further the interests of the College of Pennsylvania and of education in general, and to promote the mutual intercourse and fellowship of the members.

ARTICLE II.

Section 1. The Association shall consist of Active and Honorary members.

Sec. 2. The Active members shall include every graduate of said College.

Sec. 3. The Honorary members shall include the members of the Faculty of at least three years' standing, and the Board of Trustees of the said College, ex-officio, and persons who may be elected Honorary members by a two-thirds vote of the members present at the Annual Business Meeting.

Sec. 4. The Honorary members shall have all the privileges of the Association except that of attendance upon Business Meetings of the Alumnae Association.

ARTICLE III.

Section 1. It shall be the prime duty of each active member to keep the Secretary informed of her address and of all facts regarding herself and other members proper to be included in the permanent records of the Association.

ARTICLE IV.

Section 1. The officers of the Association shall be a President, a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer. They

shall be elected by a majority and shall hold office for one year, or until their successors are elected.

Sec. 2. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Association, and shall perform all the other duties devolving on such an office.

Sec. 3. The Vice President shall at all times aid the President in the discharge of her duties and in the absence or disability of the President, shall perform all her duties herein prescribed.

Sec. 4. The Secretary shall keep the minutes of the Association, shall notify officers and committees of their election or appointment, and shall perform the general duties appertaining to the office of Secretary. It shall be her duty to ascertain each year the names, addresses and careers of New, Active and Honorary members, and to enter them on the roll and minutes of the next meeting after the graduation of the said new members; she shall also, after due consideration and consultation with the President of the College, issue all the notices for annual and special meetings.

Sec. 5. The Treasurer shall collect, and under direction of the Association disburse, all funds. She shall report at the annual meeting and oftener if required.

Sec. 6. Two editors shall be annually elected by a two-thirds (2-3) vote of the Association, with a sub-committee of two business editors. This committee shall annually edit and publish **The Alumnae Recorder** of the Association, in which shall be answered any questions asked in regard to other members that is possible to answer, with such further facts regarding the individual members and other general matters of interest to the Association and appropriate to its objects, as may be deemed practicable and proper.

ARTICLE V.

Section 1. The Annual Business Meeting of the Association shall take place at the College on the Friday preceding the commencement day exercises, or at such other time near said date as the Faculty of the College shall appoint. Notice there-

of shall be mailed to all members whose addresses are known at least seven days in advance.

Sec. 2. Special Business Meetings may be called by the President at any time, and on the written request of five members such meetings must be called, provided that no business shall be transacted at any special meeting unless substantially specified in the notices mailed to all members whose addresses are known, at least seven days in advance.

Sec. 3. Ten members shall constitute a quorum of the Association at any meeting, but any less number shall have power to adjourn any regularly called meeting to a subsequent date with or without further notice to the members at large, and at such adjourned meeting any business may be transacted that might have been transacted at the original meeting called, and upon due notice as aforesaid.

Sec. 4. The President may at her own discretion call and arrange for such reunions, banquets or other social meetings of the Association as may be deemed expedient at any time, providing for the expenses of the same out of the funds in the treasury, or by general assessment, or by special charge to persons attending the same.

ARTICLE VI.

Section 1. There shall be no initiation fee.

Sec. 2. There shall be an annual due of one dollar paid by each Active member.

Sec. 3. Assessments may be levied by a two-thirds (2-3) vote of the members present at any business meeting of the Association.

Sec. 4. Honorary members shall not be liable to any dues, fees or assessments whatsoever.

By-Laws.

Art. 1. The order of business at the annual meeting of the Association shall be as follows:

1. Roll Call.
2. Reading of Minutes.
3. Receiving New Members.
4. President's Address.
5. Report of Committees.
6. Unfinished Business.
7. New Business.
8. Elections.
9. Adjournment.

June 1, 1893, submitted by the Committee,

Mrs. W. S. Miller,

Mrs. S. D. Warmcastle.

June 2, 1893, approved by Alumnæ.

[Note:—Hereafter no copy of the Constitution will appear in the Recorder. Preserve this for reference.]

Alumnæ Minutes.

The Annual Business Meeting of the Alumnæ Association was held in Dilworth Hall, June 5, 1903, Miss Edeburn presiding. On motion, roll call was postponed till the close of the meeting.

Minutes of June, 1902, and of a special meeting in February, 1903, were then read and approved.

Motion was made to admit to membership the Class of 1903, consisting of Misses Harriet Duff, Eleanor Fitzgibbon, Anna Hunter, Ruth Johnstin, Jennie McSherry, Anna Petty, Sara Pfeil, Hilda Sadler and Mary Wilson. Carried. The class were unavoidably detained and the President's Address of Welcome was deferred till their arrival. However her address to the Association was given and its spirit of enthusiastic interest for the College evoked hearty applause.

The Scholarship Committee had no special account to make concerning finances, but reported continued assistance to two College students.

Mrs. Armstrong rendered the report of the committee appointed to inquire into the matter of Honorary and Associate membership. The committee recommended changes in the Constitution by striking out the word **Associate** in Section I, Article 2, substituting **Honorary** for **Associate** in Section V, Article 2, numbering that Section 4, and entirely eliminating the original Section 4. The report was approved.

The Endowment Committee, consisting of Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. Warmcastle, Mrs. Stone, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Holmes, Miss Murdoch and Miss Edeburn, were represented by Mrs. Spencer, who reported the financial condition of the College and the urgent need of money. This was followed by suggestions for raising funds and by remarks from many members, all showing enthusiasm for College welfare. Motion was made that

each member of the Association give to the Endowment Fund what sum she could. Carried.

The Class of 1903 was pleasantly welcomed by the President.

Mrs. Warmcastle moved that a list of former officers be prepared for the use of the next Nominating Committee. Carried. The Committee then presented their report and the election by ballot resulted as follows:

President—Miss Edeburn.

Vice President—Miss Georgiana Negley.

Recorder Board—Mrs. George Porter, Miss Bruce, Miss Moore, Miss Fitzgibbon, with Miss Houston as advisory member.

The Treasurer reported: Receipts, \$141.39; disbursements, \$125.90; leaving a balance April 30, 1903, of \$15.49. Report was accepted.

Sixty-five Active members responded to roll call and on motion the Association adjourned.

Elizabeth B. Armstrong,
Secretary.

Minutes of a Special Meeting.

A special meeting of the Alumnae Association was held at the College February 3, 1904. Miss Edeburn, the President, stated that the object of the meeting was to receive the report of the Endowment Committee and to consider plans for improving the financial condition of the College.

In the absence of Mrs. Spencer, chairman of the committee, Mrs. Miller reported subscriptions from Alumnae, \$11,265; from non-graduates, \$597, and from the mother of a present student, \$100; total, \$11,962.

On motion, the report was accepted.

Mrs. Miller read a letter from Miss Vera Smith, a former student, expressing the interest of herself, Mr. Stuart Brodock and others of the Alvin Theatre Dramatic School who were

willing to give a benefit matinee in the Alvin Theatre. Motion was made that a committee be appointed to take in charge the matter of a benefit performance and to arrange for one whenever the opportunity arose. The motion was amended—the President to consider the matter and appoint the committee. The amended motion carried. Motion was also made that Miss Smith's offer be declined for the present, the Secretary to write her to this effect and to express the thanks of the Association. Carried.

Miss Edeburn reported having communicated with the manager of the Nixon Theatre in regard to a benefit performance, and Dr. Martin also reported a letter from Mr. Nixon concerning the same matter.

Motion to turn the letters over to the committee was made and carried.

Dr. Martin, present by invitation of the President, made some pleasing, appropriate and encouraging remarks concerning the College and its future.

Suggestion was made by the Treasurer that, owing to the small sum in hand, the **Recorder** for 1904 be made somewhat smaller than recent numbers. This evoked some discussion, but no action was taken.

On motion the Association adjourned.

Elizabeth B. Armstrong,
Secretary.

Treasurer's Report for Year Ending April 30, 1904.

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Receipts.

May 1, 1903, Amount on Hand.....	\$ 15 49
June, 1903, Annual Dues	83 00
Jan., 1904, Interest on Deposit	27
March, Returned from Endowment Committee.....	21 06
	\$119 82

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Disbursements.

1903.	
May 15, To Pierpont & Siviter, Printing.....	\$ 2 75
June 12, To Spahr & Ritscher, Recorder and Postals.	54 00
June 12, To Editor's Expenses	9 25
Dec. 1, To Endowment Committee	30 00
1904.	
Feb. 9, To Spahr & Ritscher	2 50
Mar. 14, To Penn'a College, Postage	9 48
	\$107 98
April 30, Amount on Hand.	
In Bank	\$11 06
Cash	78
	\$ 11 84
	\$119 82

Eva Morehead Bard, Treasurer.

Audited, April 23 1904.

Annie D. Kearns, Com.

Report of the Alumnæ Endowment Committee.

For the benefit of those members of the Alumnæ Association who live away from Pittsburg, it seems advisable to give the history of this Committee since its appointment in February, nineteen hundred and three.

The Committee, which was appointed by the President of the Alumnæ Association, Miss Edeburn, has remained the same; but the chairman has been changed three times. The first meeting was promptly called by the original chairman, Mrs. Warmcastle, and the situation discussed; the conclusion being reached that no move toward raising funds could be made until the Trustees had perfected their plans. But the resolution was passed that, with a view to awakening interest in, and enlisting sympathy for the College, a personal letter should be written to every graduate, telling of the financial condition, and urging attendance at the June meeting of the Association.

Mrs. Warmcastle being unable to serve as chairman, Miss Edeburn was elected to fill that position.

A second meeting was held just before Commencement, at which it was resolved to pass a subscription book at the Alumnæ meeting; the Committee feeling that while their efforts were confined to members of the Association they could in no way interfere with the Trustees. This was done, and at the close of the meeting Mrs. Everett Jones, who had the matter in charge, reported that subscriptions had been made amounting to \$1,030.00. Miss Edeburn, having been re-elected President of the Association, asked the present chairman to relieve her.

A third meeting of the Committee was held the latter part of November, 1903, at which a letter was drafted, and a resolution passed to the effect that a copy should be sent to every member of the Alumnæ Association: and a similar letter to every former student in so far as it was possible to locate such.

Early in December these letters were circulated—two hundred and eighteen of the one, and nearly one thousand of the other—with the result that the account to date is as follows :

66 Alumnae	\$11,315 00
15 Former Students	797 00
Mrs. J. B. McKee	100 00
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Total	\$12,212 00

The Committee feel greatly encouraged over what has been accomplished, and gratified at the interest shown; but we do not feel that our work is finished. Two things remain to be done, namely: to awaken the interest in the seventy per cent. of our number who have not responded to the appeal, and to get every member of the Association to work collecting funds. An immense amount of labor will be required before the goal aimed at is reached. If each individual member would but exert her influence in her own particular sphere—"despising not the day" of even "small things," the Endowment Fund would be materially increased.

Think what the Alumnae of Vassar and Bryn Mawr have done for their Alma Maters! Shall Pennsylvania daughters do less?

The Pennsylvania College for Women is already the peer of the highest women's colleges as far as the curriculum is concerned. Our graduates now enter Bryn Mawr, Cornell, and the University of Pennsylvania to do post graduate work, where some years ago they would have been prepared only for the Freshman classes of these colleges. Should such an institution die for lack of support?

Think of the happy day, when freed from debt and with a modest Endowment Fund—an earnest of better things to come—our College shall proudly take her place among the foremost institutions of our land, and work as if on each individual rested the entire burden of responsibility.

“Without halting, without rest,
Lifting Better up to Best.”

Mary Acheson Spencer, Chairman,
Marv Robbins Miller,
Grace Watson Warmcastle,
Edith Edeburn,
Gertrude Walker Holmes,
Ida McCandless Stone,
Emma Snyder Jones,

Committee.

April 26, 1903.

The Alumnae Benefit.

[Press Extracts.]

“Yesterday afternoon (March 23rd), the Alumnae Association of the Pennsylvania College for Women gave a special matinee at the Nixon Theatre for the benefit of the Endowment Fund of the College. The affair was a complete success. The weather was delightful and the theatre was filled with handsomely gowned women, making the scene a brilliant one. The attraction was Charles Hawtrey in ‘Saucy Sally.’

“Mr. Hawtrey is a man of congenial manner. After the matinee he expressed himself much pleased with the success of the performance, which was given for the benefit of the Endowment Fund of the Pennsylvania College for Women. Mr. Hawtrey visited the College the previous afternoon, and he spoke enthusiastically of the institution. ‘The College is a fine institution, beautifully located and in every way desirable. I am convinced that it is an excellent school, and I am sure that Pittsburgers will not see it suffer for want of money. I was glad to be able to do my share, especially after I visited the College.’”

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“The entire management of the entertainment was placed in the care of a committee of the Alumnae Association, consist-

ing of Mrs. W. L. Coyle, chairman; Miss Edith Edeburn, President of the Association; Miss Annie D. Kearns, Miss Harriet Duff and Miss Anna Houston."

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"The benefit matinee at the Nixon, given under the auspices of the entertainment committee of the Pennsylvania College for Women, and presented by Charles Hawtrey and his company, who appeared in the merry farce, 'Saucy Sally,' was one of the most successful ever held in the city. The new playhouse was crowded, every seat being taken."

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"The proceeds of the benefit reached almost two thousand dollars, the souvenir program which was generously patronized by local firms and corporations, contributing materially to the financial success of the affair. The receipts will be added to the Endowment Fund which is steadily approaching the amount required."

Colloquium.

A year ago our historian said "Colloquium stands for a better appreciation and a more loyal support of Pennsylvania College, for a broader culture for women, and for a wider interest in the world's progress." Again the same is true, though in some respects a year has effected changes. One evidence of this is shown in our membership list where four new names take the place of Miss Galt and Miss Muir, who resigned from the College faculty, Miss Lydia Murdock (now Mrs. R. W. Jones) who since her marriage has lived in Minneapolis, and Mrs. Carolyn Watson, whose death was a loss that Colloquium could ill sustain. She was a charter member, capable and enthusiastic, and her voice was ever raised on the side of club improvement, her aid freely given in club work.

The year's program has embraced a review of Modern English Literature, and we have delved into the philosophy of Carlyle, solved—the mysteries of Browning, focused our attention upon the reformers, rejoiced in the work of women writ-

ers, renewed our acquaintance with Dickens—and all feel richer for the year's study.

February 22, and a regular club day co-inciding, it was only fitting that we should devote that meeting to the Father of our Country; and papers relevant to the day were read and appreciated.

Current topics and book reviews have led to free discussion and frank exchange of opinion, some times prolonged beyond the motion to adjourn and continued over the tea cups.

Colloquium maintains its interest in the College where alternate meetings have been held with unvarying regularity and where a cordial welcome is ever extended the Club. Our enthusiasm is alive, our loyal support is pledged and we only regret our inability to do for the College the great things which it deserves.

The Records of 1903-4.

The College year closing June 6, 1904, has been a season of reviving hopes, and closes with a bright outlook for the future.

The early summer of 1903 were dark days for the College. The want of a President and a heavy debt were real difficulties. The exaggerated reports concerning these difficulties, and wild rumors of closing the College were more injurious than the facts. An air of depression and doubt enshrouded the College, like a Pittsburg fog. The faculty was disheartened. The Trustees troubled, and patrons drifting away. And yet the College was doing excellent work. The standard of scholarship was never higher or better maintained, and those who were in position to know the facts were confident that in all essential qualities the College was in first class condition.

This feeling of discouragement and uncertainty prevailed until midsummer, and, of course, prevented students enrolling for the coming year, and produced an unfortunate and unfair impression on the community.

The confident tone of the Alumnæ, in their meeting in June, was the one hopeful note in all the varied utterances concerning the College. Their faith and loyalty were very cheering, and did much to enhearten the faint and the despondent.

In the latter part of July the Trustees persuaded Dr. S. A. Martin to take the office of President. He was able to enter at once upon the duties of the office. It was too late to hope for a full College, but the Alumnæ and patrons rallied promptly to the support of the new administration. The Trustees made liberal provision for such repairs and improvements as were needed in the buildings and equipment. The few vacancies in the faculty were happily filled. The office of Dean was created, and Miss Eastman engaged to fill the office. The members of the faculty cordially accepted such readjustment of their work as seemed necessary. The confidence of our patrons revived, and College opened with better equipment and nearly as many students as in previous years. This number has been added to from time to time, so that the average attendance has been larger than last year.

God's Providence has dealt kindly with us; no evil has befallen us nor plague came near our dwelling. The year has been remarkably free from all unpleasant incidents. The faculty have been faithful and loyal, and the students diligent and happy.

The curriculum of studies has been practically unchanged, but an unusual number of extra-curriculum events have been added. The mid-winter reception brought a large number of our friends together in the College. Numerous receptions, given by the faculty and the different classes, have provided pleasant recreation. A variety of lecturers have given instructions and interesting talks on subjects of scholarly or practical importance. Prof. Adams of Philadelphia, President Warfield of Lafayette College, Mrs. Ricker of Chicago, were among our welcome speakers, from abroad. Mr. Welker, of our city, gave us a most interesting talk on Oriental rugs, and Mr. Beatty and Mr. Woodwell are to complete our list this month.

Among many smaller "betterments" the new organ stands pre-eminent. This is not only a most welcome and long desired addition to our equipment, and a splendid instrument; but it is made more precious to us by the fact that it is the gift of one of our Trustees, and a sweet memorial of one of our recent students. It bears the inscription: "Presented to the Pennsylvania College for Women in loving memory of Mary Hawes Nevin of the Class of 1896, by her mother."

Of the future we are able to say that the prospect is bright—brighter perhaps than ever before in our history. The effort of the President and Trustees to secure an adequate endowment has met with such response from our friends, that, while it is by no means complete, enough is pledged already to give us confidence that the coming year will see us out of debt, and reasonably well provided for in a pecuniary way. The outlook now is that we shall have an increased attendance next year, and especially the art and music departments are likely to be much increased.

All our hopes, however, will depend on the patient and untiring efforts of our Trustees, Alumnae and friends. It will take **time as well as money, wisdom as well as work**, to make our College what we hope to see it. Our hopes include a new building for Class room. This we hope to make an ideal modern school as perfect and as completely equipped as the best judgment and skill of teachers and architects can make it. It will be located on Woodland Road, nearly on a level with Fifth Avenue, and thus avoid the necessity of climbing the hill. An elevator in this building will lift us to the present level of the College, and we shall thus have the advantage of our beautiful location for residence. When our present buildings are all filled with students we can build a line of dormitories around the crest of the hill from the front of the Music Hall to the present location of our stable, and accommodate six hundred students. Why not?

Dr. Samuel A. Martin.

Class of 1904.

Nancy Blair.	Elizabeth Carpenter,
Rebekah Eggers,	Jessie Gray,
Edna McKee,	Helen Thomas,
Lida Young.	

ColorsBrown and Gold
 Flower Brown-eyed Susan

Honorary Members.

Dr. Chalmers Martin, Mrs. E. H. Nevin.

Senior Themes.

Nancy Blair: An Interpretation of Lowell's Poem, "The Cathedral."

Rebekah Eggers: A Study of "Sohrab and Rustum."

Elizabeth Carpenter: "Browning's View of the Experience of Saul.

Jessie Gray: The Personality of Matthew Arnold, as shown in Selected Poems.

Edna McKee: The Lesson of the "Idylls of the King."

Helen Thomas: Browning's Theory of Art.

Lida Young: The Character of Henry Esmond.

In Memoriam.

It is with profound sorrow that the Class of '85 records the death of one of its members—Martha Grace Taylor Hemenway.

Mrs. Hemenway was born in Carry, New Hampshire, October 26, 1865. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Taylor, came to Pittsburg when their daughter was but two years of age. Pittsburg continued to be her home until her marriage, which occurred two years after she graduated, December 14, 1887. Previous to entering the College, Mrs. Hemenway had completed the course in the academic department of the Pittsburg High School, entering the Class of '85 at the College one year (to the best of the writer's recollection) before her graduation. In that year she endeared herself to her fellow students and made the interests of her chosen Alma Mater entirely her own, so that her influence was as rich and enduring and her rare individuality as fully impressed upon the memory of all who came in contact with her, as though she had passed through the four years of the course of studies.

Mrs. Hemenway died February 27th at Seal Harbor, Maine, where her husband, the Reverend M. S. Hemenway, has his pastoral duties. She left three children—a son, who is a student at Saint Paul's School, Concord, New Hampshire, and two daughters.

To her classmates her loss is of the nature of a shock, because she died prematurely in helpful middle life, when

womanhood is at its best, retaining the enthusiasm of youth with the wisdom of added years. Mrs. Hemenway (or "Mattie," as her classmates lovingly called her) had just this beautiful gift of a womanhood rich in character, with enthusiasm in all things, combined with sound judgment and a ripe intellect. Always the same pleasant personality, a never failing sweetness prevailed her manner; and in coming in touch with her one quickly recognized a certain rare spirituality, a kind of Heaven-born purity of motive and intention. She bore enmity towards none, and she had the faculty of passing over the frailties of her fellow-man, because all bitterness and criticism seemed entirely apart from her nature. Her sympathies were deep, her friendship abiding. Yet when we look back over her many resources of character, her unerring good judgment and commonsense was the keynote to her many other beautiful qualities. Her modesty of demeanor was ever noticeable, and valuable as we all knew her opinion to be on many subjects, she never delivered it until it was sought for, then spoke in a way so calm and pleasant that she appeared to invite a difference of view out of her own deep respect for the attitude of others.

Even though, in the years that have passed since graduation, Mattie's duties as wife and mother had carried her away from the scenes of her girlhood, yet we know, from the many perfections of her maidenhood, that the exalted relations wifehood and motherhood brought upon her, did not find her lacking in self-sacrifice or nobility of soul. And this sad tribute to

her memory comes from the pen of her classmates, not alone from a sense of duty to one gone from their midst, though she died far from us, but from the grief-laden recollection of the sweet, gentle, yet all-wise young student who once gave us her lovable company on our journey toward knowledge. There are no words to portray the gentleness, the sweetness, the true womanliness of our beloved classmate. Of qualities like these, deeply as her schoolmates realized them, the dear ones she left on earth to abide without her, her husband and children, must have the deepest and truest understanding. For, after all, the real pain at the passing away of a loved one is not with the dead but with the stricken living who remain to continue the burden of life. To know that her voice is not to be heard again, that her presence is gone forever from the dear familiar places, and, above all, to appear to shut her out, from one's life and from her home—these are the hard, hard things to bear.

“The first time when at night I went about,
Locking the doors and windows everywhere,
After she died, I seemed to lock her out
In the starred silence and the homeless air,
And leave her waiting in her gentle way
All through the night, till the disconsolate day,
Upon the threshold, while we slept, awake:
Such things the heart can bear and yet not break.”

E. S., '85.

Engagements.

Miss Martha Mahood, '00, to Rev. George Ernest Raitt.

Miss Eva M. Bard, '94, to Robert Oliver Fulton.

Marriages.

June 5, 1903. Nancy Acheson, '98, and Mr. Walter V. Houghton.

November, 1903. Anne M. Robinson, '96, and Dr. Roy L. Cooper.

November, 1903. Lydia K. Murdoch, '94, and Mr. Robert Webster Jones.

September, 1903. Emilie Schellenberg, '99, and Mr. Robert Paul.

1903. Mary Christy, '97, and Mr. Irwin.

Births.

Mrs. J. R. McCune, '87, a daughter, June, 1903.

Mrs. Thomas Hannah, '97, a daughter, Margaret, June, 1903.

Mrs. J. S. Lacock, '94, a daughter, September, 1903.

Mrs. J. C. C. Holding, '94, a daughter, Laura Anne, September, 1903.

Mrs. Everett Jones, '00, a son, Halsey Robinson, January, 1904.

Mrs. George Porter, '99, a daughter, Margaret Louise, January, 1904.

Mrs. Frank Sidney Carmack, '99, a son, Sidney Parry, January, 1904.

Mrs. Charles R. Porter, '94, a daughter, March, 1904.

Mrs. W. J. Post, '88, a son, January, 1904.

Death.

Martha Taylor (Hemenway), February, 1904.

PERSONAL.

The Decade Clubs have continued their meetings from time to time during the past year.

Miss Eleanor Fitzgibbon, '03, has been employed for several months in the Carnegie Library, Carnegie, Pa.

Miss Margaret McClelland, '02, has removed to Washington, Pa. She will be much missed by her friends here.

Mrs. Wm. R. Watson, '93, has gone to Sacramento, California, to live, Mr. Watson having been made State Librarian.

Miss Harriet Duff, '03, has the sympathy of her friends in the death of her father, Dr. John Milton Duff, on May 14th.

Miss Elizabeth Hillman of Shady avenue, spent two weeks at the Carolina, Pinehurst, N. C., in March, enjoying the fine golf course there.

Mrs. Mary Fishburn Wood, who was a student at the College during the eighties, sailed for Honolulu March twenty-fourth on pleasure bent.

It is with much sorrow that we chronicle the death of Mrs. Carmack's little son, April 14th. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of the entire Alumnæ.

Mrs. Helen Duncan Patton, '90, and little son, Duncan, spent a part of the summer and autumn traveling in Europe. The entire month of October was spent in Italy.

Miss Lyra Kelly, '99, will leave Pittsburg very soon, to make her home in Utica, N. Y. Miss Kelly formerly lived in Utica, and her parents returned to that place earlier in the year.

Miss Edith Stanton, '02, writes that her year as Treasurer of the Woman's Department of Denison University, has been a very enjoyable one. She will return to the same position next year.

Miss R. J. DeVore, formerly President of the Pennsylvania College, now President of the Glendale College, Glendale, O., visited Pittsburg and the College while on her way East, this spring.

Miss Mary A. Shrom, '02, has recently returned from New York where she spent several months studying music under the direction of Oscar Langnor. Miss Shrom has opened a studio at her home 358 Atlantic avenue.

We are glad to hear from Miss Helen Dickey, '02, who has spent a pleasant year in St. Charles, Ill., teaching in the High School. Many friends will hear with regret that Miss Dickey has left Pittsburg, and that her home is now in Englewood, Ill.

Miss Georgiana G. Negley spent the winter amid the genial climatic conditions of the Sunny South. Miami proved the most fascinating resort, where the Hotel Royal Palm, so charmingly located on Biscayne Bay, claimed most of her time. Palm Beach, St. Augustine, Washington and Philadelphia were visited later.

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President's Address.

Another year has been marked off on the dial of Time, and again we gather here together in the "College on the Hill."

There are some new faces in our number to-day which we welcome most heartily to this chosen band. And then, too, there are other well-loved ones who have obeyed the Great Master's summons to a higher school. We mourn their loss to-day, and pray that the mantle of their zeal for the college may fall on our shoulders.

This year comes to us fraught with a heavy message of responsibility for our Alma Mater's welfare. The appeal is urgent and each of us Alumnæ, individually, must feel the responsibility of the call. January, 1906, is the limit of time for the completion of the endowment fund for this College, and as yet not much over a third of the amount required is in sight.

Many of us cannot give a large amount of money, yet on that account, let us not withhold that which we can give.

The Jewish widow's mite has perhaps accomplished more and become more famous than Carnegie's gift of millions. It is not so much the amount we give, as the spirit and enthusiasm manifested by the Alumnæ in the giving, that will decide the fate of this College. If we ourselves are luke warm in

this matter, can we blame outsiders for being cold and indifferent?

Mary Lyon, in the founding and endowing of her long-hoped-for Mt. Holyoke, spent many weary months, traveling all over New England—especially through the villages and among the people of moderate means—soliciting contributions. Many of these contributions did not exceed twenty-five cents, yet, small as they were, their aggregate made Mt. Holyoke a reality. And does not Western Pennsylvania need our College as much as Massachusetts needed Mt. Holyoke?

An article came to my attention lately in which the writer claimed that there is a deplorable lack of civic pride in this state among its citizens of all classes. No ground is hallowed ground and no sacred or historic associations can save any place from the devastating powers of our political machines. This is in direct contrast to some other parts of our country. The intense loyalty of the South to itself and to its traditions is known to you all. New England, too, is famous for her historic pride.

The shaft of Bunker Hill Monument stands as straight and solid as the civic pride of the people who reared it.

Plymouth and Lexington and Concord are almost hallowed ground. Look at the care taken to preserve Faneuil Hall and the old State House. See how sacredly New England regards the tombs of her illustrious dead and the many monuments she has reared to their memories. Notice how she has revered her poets and writers. Then contrast our own state. Who of us knows where were the homes of Bayard Taylor or Thomas Buchanan Read? If it were not for lightning rods and old almanacs we might almost forget Benjamin Franklin entirely. In our own city, the old Block House is still standing, thanks to a few determined women, but look how it is surrounded. Pittsburgh has no monument to the great Pitt, after whom it was named, nor is there anything to mark the site of Braddock's defeat.

And with the same apathy in educational as in civic matters, shall we, daughters of the only Woman's College of

Western Pennsylvania, shall we stand by and calmly watch our Alma Mater draw her last struggling breath?

This ore-laden, wealth-bringing, Pittsburgh air that kills our old forest trees and blackens our gleaming steeples, seems terribly fatal to educational institutions. The old Pittsburgh Female College, faded away a few years ago, and not long afterward Bishop Bowman Institute ceased to be—although a few faithful alumnae keep its memory green by an occasional theatre benefit.

Do you want to think that our College will meet the same fate? Do you want our Alma Mater to be only a memory, and our diplomas not worth the parchment on which they are engraved?

“Ill fares the land, to hastening ills a prey,
Where wealth accumulates, and schools decay.”

I am told that in some eastern colleges it is customary for each class graduated to take a pride in bringing back each year a certain sum of money for the benefit of their Alma Mater. The President of our country himself expects this year to assist his Harvard class, graduated twenty-five years ago, in the presentation to the College of a million dollars. A movement also was inaugurated some months ago to raise three million dollars among the Harvard alumni for contingent and current expenses of the institution.

But they are men you say. Are we men's inferiors and shall our College die for lack of one hundred thousand dollars?

The darkest hour comes just before the dawn. Surely in the next six months the combined efforts of Alumnae and of loyal citizens, like the morning star, will pierce this black pall of despair. Then quickly may the shadows flee away and a morning of renewed and enlarged possibilities dawn fair and bright for our beloved College.

“No answer comes to those who pray
And idly stand
And wait for stones to roll away
At God’s command;
He will not break the binding cords
Upon us laid
If we depend on pleading words
And do not aid.

“When hands are idle, words are vain
To move the stone;
An aiding angel would disdain
To work alone;
But he who prayeth and is strong
In faith and need,
And toileth earnestly, ere long
He will succeed.”

—Eliza Bryant Barker, '92.

Toasts.

Although a year has passed since our last enjoyable banquet, yet the pleasures of the occasion are as poignant as if it had been but yesterday. I can see the banquet hall as it looked that evening. Beautiful as it is in itself with its new decorations and furnishings, it was much more beautiful that evening with its festive tables and assembly. All were in holiday dress and humor, ready to enjoy to the fullest all that was offered them. The stately iris with its royal purple and the snow-white linen of the tables carried out the colors of our beloved Alma Mater.

After we were seated and had had sufficient time to congratulate ourselves upon the kindness of Fate in giving us such charming partners [as I trust all had sufficient cause as did the writer], a most palatable dinner was served. This was followed by the toasts which were such excellent ones that it is a pity limited space denies a full account of them.

Miss Edeburn, as toast-mistress, introduced Mrs. Roy C. Cooper, who welcomed the Class of 1904 in such a cordial manner that they must have felt a keen sense of pleasure in the warm and hearty reception given them. Miss Edna G. McKee, President of the Class of 1904, responded, thanking the alumnæ in behalf of her Class for their most cordial welcome and promising to the best of their ability to be worthy members of the alumnæ.

Mrs. Richard E. Chislett was next introduced and entertained us most charmingly with a toast on the "Progress of the Age." As there were none but women present, if we except Dr. Martin, you may be sure Mrs. Chislett took advantage of the opportunity to land the women for the great part they had taken in this progress. Mrs. John M. Pardee next spoke on "College Mates." The toast was interspersed with many anecdotes which afforded much laughter and enjoyment.

Dr. Martin ended the after-dinner speeches with one on the "College on the Hill." In as cheerful and hopeful a light as possible he presented the condition of the College as it was at that time. We hope that its condition has improved so much that a very cheering account is awaiting us at our coming banquet.

We all, then, in a most hearty, if not in a most musical manner, gave expression to our loyalty to our Alma Mater in our song "The College on the Hill."

May I in turn be allowed a toast? Thank you. My toast is this: "The Toasts of the Banquet of 1904."

Minutes of Alumnæ Meeting, 1904.

The annual business meeting of the Alumnæ Association was held June 5, 1904.

The minutes of June, 1903, and of a special meeting February, 1904, were read and approved. On motion, roll call was deferred till the close of the meeting.

Motion was made and carried admitting to membership the class of 1904, consisting of the Misses Nancy Blair, Elizabeth Carpenter, Rebekah Eggers, Jessie Gray, Edna McKee, Helen Thomas and Lida Young.

Miss Clark stated that Miss Mary W. Brownson, having met the requirements, would receive from the Board of Trustees the degree of Bachelor of Arts. On motion, Miss Brownson was admitted to membership in the Association.

The President extended a cordial welcome to the new members and then addressed the Association in a plea for continued interest in our Alma Mater, exerting our influence to promote her well-being.

The Treasurer reported receipts, \$119.82; disbursements, \$107.98; balance April 30, 1904, \$11.84.

Mrs. Spencer, in behalf of the Scholarship Committee, reported assistance to two College students in 1903-04, and asked for information concerning worthy students needing financial assistance, the scholarship for the ensuing year not having been granted.

The Alumnæ Endowment Committee reported subscriptions amounting to \$12,322.00.

The Benefit Committee reported almost \$1,800.00—\$1,200.00 of which was bearing 6 per cent interest—and a promise of an additional \$100.00.

Motion was made and carried that a vote of thanks be extended Mrs. Coyle and her committee for their work in connection with the Benefit Matinee.

Mr. Spencer, referring to the action of the special meeting held February, 1903, in regard to a memorial fund, moved that that resolution be amended to read: "All funds raised by the Benefit of March 23, 1904, shall be known as the Emilie Dicken Kerr Memorial Fund." Carried.

This was followed by suggestions for raising more money for the College, and the Committee insisted upon even small contributions.

As it seemed desirable to have a definite object in view, motion was made that the Alumnæ Endowment Fund be used to build a residence for the College president. After some discussion the motion was laid on the table.

It was then moved and carried that the Endowment Committee be instructed to investigate the question of objects for which the fund could be used, and to report at the next meeting.

Mrs. George Porter stated for the Recorder Board that the Recorder for 1904 was ready for distribution.

On motion, Rev. Samuel A. Martin, D.D., President of the College, was unanimously elected an honorary member.

The election by ballot resulted as follows: President, Mrs. William P. Barker; Vice President, Miss Jane B. Clark; Secretary, Miss Elsie Braun; Treasurer, Elizabeth McCague; Recorder Editors, Miss Mary Shrom, Miss Sarah Pfeil and Miss Rosetta Moore.

Fifty-three members responded to roll call.

On motion, the Association adjourned.

Elizabeth B. Armstrong, Secretary.

Treasurer's Report for Year Ending April 30, 1905.

Receipts.

Balance on hand, May 1st, 1904	\$ 11 84
Annual Dues	93 00
Redeemed Envelopes	5 84
Interest	99
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	<u>\$111 67</u>

Disbursements.

To Spahr and Ritscher:—	
Recorder	\$50 00
Postals	3 20
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	53 20
To Editors' Expenses	5 11
To Flowers	3 00
Balance on hand May 1, 1905	50 36
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	<u>\$111 67</u>

Elizabeth W. McCague,
Treasurer.

Report of Helen E. Pelletreau Scholarship Fund.

May 1, Balance on hand	\$3,294 06
July 1, Interest on Deposit	64 53
Sept. 9, Interest on Mortgage No. 2	18 00
Sept. 9, Interest on Mortgage No. 4	18 00
Sept. 24, Interest on Mortgage No. 1	39 00
Dec. 9, Interest on Mortgage No. 3	48 00
1905.	
Jan. 1, Interest on Deposit	67 97
March 17, Interest on Mortgage No. 2	18 00
March 17, Interest on Mortgage No. 4	18 00
April 14, Interest on Mortgage No. 1	39 00
April 14, Interest on Mortgage No. 3	48 00
	<u>\$3,672 56</u>
May 1, Balance in Pittsburgh Bank for	
Savings	\$3,368 76
May 1, Cash	3 80
	<u>\$3,672 56</u>

Marguerite Bonnett, Treasurer

Per Wm. H. Bonnett.

Helen E. Pelletreau Scholarship Fund.

Mortgage No. 1, "Horner"		\$1,300 00
6 months' interest due Aug. 14th, 1905....	\$ 39 00	
Mortgage No. 2, "Stitt"		600 00
6 months' interest due Oct. 4th, 1905.....	18 00	
Mortgage No. 3, "Marks"		1,600 00
6 months' interest due Sept. 6th, 1905.....	48 00	
Mortgage No. 4, "Tandermilch"		600 00
6 months' interest due Aug. 2nd, 1904.....	18 00	
	\$123 00	\$4,100 00
6 months' interest		
Cash	\$ 3 80	
Balance in Bank	3,668 76	
		3,672 56
Present amount of Fund	\$7,772 56	
Due Penn'a College for Women (for Scholarships)..	475 00	
		\$7,297 56

Alumnæ Endowment Committee.

The Alumnæ Endowment Committee held its last meeting at the residence of Mrs. Stone early in May, when it was decided to write urgent appeals to the people of Pittsburg and to bring to their notice the fact that only six months remained in which to collect the hundred and fifty thousand dollars or lose the amount already subscribed. Personal appeals were also made to many influential citizens. It is too early to report the result of this last endeavor. The Committee feel that \$12,400.00 is a small return for the effort made and hope there will be some suggestions made at the June meeting that will enable our College to take on a new lease of life.

The Endowment Committee.

**Report of the Benefit Matinee Given for the Endowment
Fund March 1st, 1905, at Nixon Theatre.**

At the John Drew Benefit Matinee, given for our Endowment Fund, the following statement is respectfully submitted:

It was necessary to send 18 tickets to the press; 16 of these were exchanged and this we charged to profit and loss.

Collected by Mrs. W. P. Barker	\$ 145 00
Collected by Miss Edna McKee	361 00
Collected by Mrs. W. L. Coyle	269 00
Collected by Mrs. A. G. Holmes	831 00
Collected by Mrs. Chas. L. Taylor	1,642 25
Collected by College	124 00
Collected by Colloquium	86 00
Collected by Mrs. Chas. H. Spencer	32 00
Cash sale at Theatre, March 1st	143 75

Total amount received\$3,634 00

Expenses.

To Nixon Theatre	\$900 00
To Printing	128 50
To 1 box cigars	5 50
	\$1,034 00

\$2,600 00

It gives us great pleasure to add to our Fund the sum of twenty-six hundred dollars.

**Mrs. Chas. L. Taylor, Chairman,
Mrs. W. P. Barker,
Mrs. A. G. Holmes,
Mrs. W. L. Coyle,
Miss Edna McKee,**

Committee.

Those who were at the Benefit Matinee of 1904, perhaps recall the words of Mr. Hawtrey in regard to giving a benefit, free of expense to the College, if he returned to Pittsburg this last season. He also stipulated that the same benefit committee should serve again.

Accordingly, at the meeting of the Alumnæ Association last June, the same committee was reappointed for this year.

In August the sad death of Miss Kearns removed one of the faithful workers from this committee. Later on, for various reasons, it became impossible for the other members to serve again. Then, unfortunately, Mr. Hawtrey did not reach Pittsburg this last season as he had anticipated.

Finally, early in February, 1905, with a new committee in charge, arrangements were made with the Nixon management for a benefit matinee on March 1st, with John Drew in "The Duke of Killicrankie," as the attraction.

Then followed several weeks of hard work for the committee, under the excellent, business-like management of Mrs. Charles L. Taylor, its chairman. No one who has not tried it, knows just how hard it is to solicit advertisements, and the joy over the securing of an "ad," after toiling perhaps all day in vain, baffles description. How the heart warms toward a fellow man when he writes his name boldly across a generous space on the "dummy" programme.

Then came the selling of the tickets, and the committee plodded on with its load. The members were getting callous now to rebuffs and worked with grim determination.

But as March first drew near, the outlook seemed brighter, and the benefit gave promise of being the great success it undoubtedly was.

One of the pleasant occasions to be remembered was the luncheon given by Mrs. Taylor, at her home, on the day preceding the benefit. The guests of honor, whom the other members of the committee were invited to meet, were Mr. Drew and Mr. Gottschalk, his leading man. The luncheon was followed by a drive up to the College where an informal reception was held for Mr. Drew and Mr. Gottschalk.

The play, "The Duke of Killicrankie," certainly shows Mr. Drew at his best, and a large and appreciative audience greeted him at the Nixon Theatre on the afternoon of the benefit. In his speech before the curtain that day, Mr. Drew announced the presentation to the College of the Annie Dickson Kearns medal, as a loving memorial from her sister.

The proceeds of the benefit went beyond the fondest expectations of the committee, and its members are grateful to the many friends and patrons of the College, who so substantially aided them in this work.

Reception of the Association of Collegiate Alumnæ.

On the afternoon of December, 3rd, the College drawing rooms were the scene of a unique gathering, held in the interests of the higher education of women; the occasion being a reception given by the Pittsburg Branch of the Association of Collegiate Alumnæ to the girls of the Senior classes of the Preparatory Schools of the city. Large delegations of students were present and representatives of the Alumnæ of many colleges.

The rooms were beautifully decorated with college banners and pictures; the various groups of Alumnæ vieing with one another in the arrangement of picturesque booths and cosy corners artistically draped in their college colors.

The booth in charge of a committee from the Pennsylvania College, under the chairmanship of Miss Sarah Pfeil, '03, was prettily decorated in purple and white, overhung with chains of violets; and an appropriate souvenir being given to each guest.

After a social hour and a musical programme, rendered by Mr. Napier and Miss Hay, earnest addresses were made by Miss Eastman, Miss Gleim and Chancellor McCormick, urging upon the students the value of a college education.

To supplement the influence of this meeting, the Association has since offered to these students a college scholarship available either for the colleges in the Association or for the Pennsylvania College.

The meeting was characterized by enthusiasm and interest, and emphasized not only the value but also the necessity of the coöperation of all college women of the city in the work of arousing interest in college education.

Colloquium.

Colloquium has a full membership and each year seems to grow in enthusiasm. It has been said in my hearing a number of times lately, that this has been one of the most interesting years of study that we have experienced.

Our programme has been somewhat more varied than usual, and topics of the day have called forth many thoughtful papers and wise discussions.

Aside from these, in the fall, Mr. Martin B. Leisser, Principal of the Art Department, gave us an interesting essay on early art, intending to lead up to the Carnegie Exhibit and three informal instructive "Talks," by local artists, Miss Woodward, Miss Smith and Miss Agnew, on the pictures in the gallery at that time. At a later date Mr. Leisser also invited club members to meet him at the gallery for a view of and talk about the pictures.

Since the holidays Dr. Dorchester entertained us with an hour devoted to Browning.

Some members of the Club, after a thorough study of Mr. Phillips' play, "The Sin of David," read it for us, and our friends, one afternoon at the new Alinda Preparatory School assembly room. The reading was followed by an open discussion of the play, and the afternoon was most enjoyably spent.

In April Dr. Shafer, at his home, gave us a most learned and interesting talk on orchids, illustrated from his collection by many of the unique plants in magnificent flower.

At a late meeting the following resolution was offered for consideration, and to be voted upon at our first meeting in the fall:

"Whereas, Inasmuch as Colloquium is the outgrowth of an association formed among students of the Pennsylvania College for Women; and,

"Whereas, It was the intention of the founders that the welfare of the College should be the chief purpose of the Club, aside from its own immediate affairs and to the exclusion of all outside charities; be it

"Resolved, That Article II. of the Constitution be amended to read: 'The object shall be to create an opportunity for parliamentary usage and organization, to encourage a deeper interest in Art, History and Literature, and to further the interests of the Pennsylvania College for Women, which shall be its sole beneficiary.'"

M. B. M.

May 10th.

The Record of 1904-05.

The year just closing has not been distinguished by any remarkable events or sensational features. It has had the desirable monotony that good health and peace bring to us. Yet it has been a most satisfactory year. The number of students enrolled is over thirty per cent. greater than last year, and the actual attendance the largest for many years. One always thinks the girls of any particular year are nicer than any that ever were before, and therefore it may be unfair to say that the students this year are the nicest ever: but we do assert most confidently that the girls here this year are unsurpassed. The home life in the College has been unusually bright and delightful. We have a horror of being called a finishing school, with the implication that the chief purpose of education is to cultivate company manners. Nevertheless, we are emphasizing the doctrine that sweet and gentle manners are a part of education, and a "working knowledge" of social usages a valuable portion of a lady's preparation for the duties of life.

It is a matter of regret that our Freshmen Class is so small. Much smaller than we had hoped. But we have the satisfaction of being able to say that it would have been much

larger if we had not stood firmly by our published requirements.

The uncertainty as to the future of the College has for some years past deterred many students from coming to us, No one cares to run the risk of being left an orphan by the death of her Alma Mater. Now that the future existence of the College is secured, we will no doubt have more College students. We are glad to see the Preparatory School, and the Departments of Music and Art flourishing, but we should deplore any tendency to over-shadow the full Classical Course by anything less dignified or less advanced.

Our buildings and equipment have been greatly improved. All summer long painters and paper hangers were at work, and much new furniture was added in all parts of the building. Then came the fire of November 28th, and we were almost in despair. The results on the whole were good for the College. The insurance people dealt generously with us. The damage was not so great as we feared at first. The repairs are all completed, and the chapel and organ much better than they were before the fire—and the insurance money pays the bills.

The outlook for the coming year is very bright. We expect more students. The Faculty will be nearly the same. The Trustees report hopefully on the growth of the Endowment Fund.

IN MEMORIAM.

Annie Dickson Kearns.

For almost the first time since her graduation in 1894, her class, the Alumnæ and the College, will miss the presence of Annie Dickson Kearns at the Alumnæ meeting.

Last August, out of almost perfect health, suddenly, in the night, her summons came; and quietly, peacefully, painlessly "God's finger touched her, and she slept."

She hath seen the King and His beauty and no longer questions the mysteries of this life.

Her life was entirely spent in this city. She attended the Allegheny public schools, was graduated from the High School, and then entered the Pennsylvania College for Women, where she made a host of friends, alike among the Faculty and students.

Her work as an Alumna has been constant and valuable. Ever ready to respond to an appeal, her energy and generosity were never sought in vain; and almost every phase of college activity during the past ten years has been encouraged and brightened by her overflowing vivacity and contagious geniality. She was tireless in her efforts for the Endowment Fund. Last year the benefit matinee was a great success, largely through her unflagging zeal.

During recent years, she was called upon to mourn the loss of mother, father and an only brother; so death will mean for her, not only laying down the burden of this life, but happy re-union with the loved ones who have gone before.

One sister, Mrs. William L. Coyle, herself a graduate of the College, is her only near relative, and to her the Alumnæ extend a most sincere and loving sympathy.

This death is the first break in the Class of '94—the "thirteen" class, to whose members has come so much of pleasure

and happiness. But it has been God's will to take to the happy home above one who was a devoted sister, a faithful, sympathetic friend, and a sincere, simple Christian.

But after all, the pain we feel at the passing away of a beloved one, is not for the dead who is at rest, but rather for the stricken living, who must continue to carry the burden. To feel and know that we shall see her face no more, that her voice will remain hushed, that her presence will always be gone from her place among us—and, saddest of all, to seem to shut her out of our lives and work henceforth—and to carry on our own work and her work; these are the things that hurt us most.

“When we asunder part
It gives us inward pain,
But we shall still be joined in heart
And hope to meet again.”

—E. B. F., '94.

Annie Farley Barker.

After a lingering illness in the autumn of 1904 there passed into eternal rest the soul of Anne Farley Barker.

In the very beginning of a young womanhood, so rich in promise, God, in His infinite wisdom, saw fit to take her to Himself, and we, who mourn her so deeply, cannot but feel that we are the richer for having known her in the intimate relation which the four college years bring.

Her gentleness, sweetness and depth of character were her endearing qualities, and to the loved ones at home, whose sorrow is so deeply felt, we give our tenderest sympathy.

“He gave thee, and took thee, and soon will restore thee
Where death hath no sting, since the Saviour hath died.”

—I. McC. S., '98.

Engagements.

Miss Alice K. Thomas, '00, to Lieutenant Caples.

Helen May Sands, '01, to Dr. Herbert W. Ferry, of Drane, Texas.

Marriages.

Nov. 22, 1904. Martha Mahood, 00, and Rev. George Ernest Raitt.

Sept. 21, 1904. Eva M. Bard, '94, and Mr. Robert Oliver Fulton.

Births.

Mrs. Robert Pitcairn Watt, '95, a daughter, Ann Blakeley, December 9, 1904.

Mrs. William Stevenson, '94, a daughter, Elizabeth, September 12, 1904.

Mrs. Stephen Stone, '98, a daughter, Natalie Jean, February 15, 1905.

Mrs. George Porter, '99, a son, George De Vore, May 6, 1905.

Mrs. Howard Kirk, '94, a son, January, 1905.

Mrs. J. Hayward Harlow, '94, a son, Robert Baldwin, June 2, 1904.

The Annie Dickson Kearns Medal.

In loving memory of her sister, Annie Dickson Kearns, '94, Mrs. Wm. L. Coyle, '81, has founded a prize, a gold medal to be awarded annually to the student attaining the highest average grade during the Junior and Senior years in the Classical Course.

Personals.

Miss Rebecca Renshaw, '74, spent the winter in California.

Miss Nancy Clark, '84, spent last summer and fall in Colorado.

Miss Jessie Gray, '04, graduates this year from Smith College.

Miss Sara Frazier Hillman, '97, has been spending the winter in New York City.

Miss Aimee Beringer, '98, is making an extended visit to her sister, Mrs. Patterson, in California.

Miss Edith Stanton, '02, has spent another delightful year as Secretary at Dennison University, Granville, Ohio.

The friends of Miss Helen Dickey, '02, will be glad to hear that she is spending Commencement week in Pittsburg.

Miss Alice Stockton, '88, writes that she is enjoying her work as Secretary at Miss Dana's School in Morristown, N. J.

Miss A. Jane Wightman, '76, has the sympathy of her friends in the death of her mother, Mrs. Thomas S. Wightman.

We congratulate Mrs. William S. Huelton, '74, and daughter on their narrow escape in the late wreck on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Buckley Stillwell (Mary Elizabeth Thurston, class of '84), are spending some time abroad, traveling on the Continent.

Last year Miss Mary Willson, '03, received her Master's degree from Pennsylvania College, and this year has attended some of the classes at the Y. W. C. A.

Mrs. T. D. Harman, of the class of '81, at a heart party in April, announced the engagement of her daughter, Mary E., to John S. Lambie, Jr., of Pittsburg.

The friends of Mrs. Wallace Imhoff, '81, will be glad to hear that she has recovered from her long illness, which confined her to the house the whole of last year.

Miss Nancy Blair, '04, while visiting her sister, Miss Mary Blair, '02, in Boulder, Col., has been attending the University there, and receives her Master's degree in June.

We are glad to know that Miss Eleanor Stevenson, '86, is quite recovered from her serious illness of the winter, and is spending a few weeks at Old Point Comfort, Va.

William Campbell, son of Mrs. John H. Kerr, '77, a Harvard graduate of 1904, has chosen as his profession the ministry. May abundant success be his in his calling!

Miss Susanna Riddle, '94, has been very seriously ill with typhoid fever this winter. We are glad to report her condition much improved, although she is yet far from well.

The many friends of Miss Helen E. Pelletreau, ex-president of the College, will be glad to know that she has entirely recovered the use of her eye which had been temporarily affected.

The Alumnae extend their sympathy to Mrs. Wallace Imhoff, '81, in the death of her beloved mother by marriage, Mrs. H. G. Imhoff, with whom for years Mrs. W. Imhoff had made her home.

It is with much sorrow we chronicle the death of Mr. Crabbe, who was killed in the disastrous wreck on the Pennsylvania Railroad, May 10. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the entire Alumnæ.

Miss Edith Edeburn, '96, spent several months of the winter traveling through the South, especially in Virginia, where she visited Old Point Comfort and Charlestown. Many other points of greater and less interest were seen.

We are pleased to announce the marriage of Miss Elsie Gregg to Mr. Haller, of Germany. The wedding was an event of the early spring and took place in Washington City, where the mother of the bride, Mrs. Thomas J. Gregg, '73, lives.

By the time this Recorder reaches the hands of the Alumnæ, Miss Adeline, daughter of Mrs. Chas. Spencer, '83, will be the bride of Mr. Curry, of Homewood. Their engagement was announced in the winter, at a tea given by her mother.

We are much interested in the pin which has been designed for the College and would like to see it adopted as an Alumnæ pin. It is at once artistic and appropriate, showing the College seal and colors—the purple and white—so dear to us all.

The Alumnæ may feel proud in the honor that has befallen them through the son of one of its members, George E., son of Mrs. Wm. H. Vincent, '75, has received the Cecil Rhodes' prize for Ohio. We extend to him our most hearty congratulations.

A number of our Alumnæ are engaged this year in teaching: Miss Ruth Johnstin, '03, Chemistry and Physics at Christian College, Columbia, Missouri; Miss Anna Hunter, '03, at Beaver High School; Miss Helen Thomas, '04, in the High School at Elizabeth, Pa.

The committee representing P. C. W. at the Collegiate Alumnæ reception, December 3rd, 1904, consisted of Sarah Pfeil, '03, chairman; Rosetta Moore, '01; Anne Houston and Elsie Braun, '02; Anna Petty and Mary Willson, '03; Lyda Young and Edna McKee, '04.

Mrs. Charles Porter, '94, who sustained serious injuries in an accident several months ago, is slowly regaining her health at Markelton. If her improvement continues she hopes to return to her home in June. We extend to Mrs. Porter our sincerest sympathies and earnestly wish for her a speedy and complete recovery.

It is with deepest regret that we record the death of Mr. Charles Lockhart, for many years a member of the Board of Trustees of the College, and widely known throughout the city. Mr. Lockhart was called away on the 26th of January, 1905, leaving many sorrowing friends. We desire to extend to his family our sincerest sympathy in their bereavement.

Class of 1905.

HARRIET KERR, President.

ELIZABETH PEW	FRANCIS FITZGIBBON
HELEN MOORE	FLORENCE VAN WAGENER
Colors	Red and White
Flower	American Beauty

Senior Themes.

Harriet Kerr: "Estimate of Napoleon from His Own Writings."

Francis Fitzgibbon: "Richard III."

Helen Moore: "Hamlet."

Elizabeth Pew: "The Westminster Assembly."

Florence Van Wagener: "Luther's New Doctrines."

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CLASS OF '73.

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College Song.

(Tune, "Auld Lang Syne.")

Our Alma Mater sits enthroned
Above the hurrying town;
The changeful years have never dimmed
The glory of her crown.
She keeps the white without a stain,
The purple queenly still,
While countless hearts look up to her—
The College on the hill.

A constant throng with backward gaze
Pass out the well-known door;
The world lets some return again,
But many nevermore.
Yet though the path winds far from her,
Their feet can never stray;
Their Alma Mater guides them still,
A thousand miles away.

Each year new voices swell her praise,
Some well-loved face is gone;
Death calls us to him one by one,
But still the song goes on.
As long as Pennsylvania keeps
Her watch-fire burning bright,
Shall Pennsylvania's daughters sing
The purple and the white.

